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# **ANNUAL REPORT**

OF

Name: CRANDON TELEPHONE COMPANY

Principal Office: 105 S HAZELDELL AVE

CRANDON, WI 54520

For the Year Ended: DECEMBER 31, 1996

# TELECOMMUNICATIONS UTILITY TO PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN

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| CRANDON TELEPHONE COMPANY   |                         | , certify that I |
| (Utility Name)  |                         |                  |
| am the person responsible for accounts; that I have examined the knowledge, information and belief, it is a correct statement of the period covered by the report in respect to each and every matter s | business and affairs of |                  |
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| LEE A LAPPIN  | 05/05/1997              |                  |
| (Person responsible for accounts)   | (Date)                  |                  |
| ASSISTANT SECRETARY AND ASSISTANT TREASURER   |                         |                  |
| (Title)   |                         |                  |
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#### ANNUAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS REPORT GLOSSARY OF TERMS

**Access Line** Central office line equipment, or equivalent, and all outside plant facilities, or equivalent,

> required to connect the serving central office with the customer premises via physical connection, frequency transmission, and/or time slot transmission. From an engineering perspective, a channel connection is at a DS0 level. A DS0 level is a 4 KHz voice channel or a

64 kilobits per second digital channel.

**Analog Signal** A signal that varies in a continuous manner such as voice or music. An analog signal must be

contrasted with a digital signal which can assume only discrete values.

A high capacity land mobile radio system in which an assigned frequency spectrum is divided Cellular System

into discrete channels that are assigned to a cellular geographic serving area.

**Central Office** A switching unit in a telephone system providing service to the general public, having the

necessary equipment and operating arrangements for terminating and interconnecting lines

and trunks.

Centrex A service for customers with many stations that permits station-to-station dialing, one listed

> directory number for the customer, direct inward dialing to a particular station and station identification on outgoing calls. The switching functions are performed in a central office

(stand alone, host or remote).

Channel An electrical communications path between two or more points. A single pair of wires may

provide more than one channel. A channel may also be provided by microwave.

A person who uses a telephone as a subscriber. Customer

**Digital Signal** A signal that has a limited number of discrete states. This may be contrasted with an analog

signal that varies in a continuous manner and may have an infinite number of states.

**Equal Access** The ability of the subscriber to use any long distance service by dialing the same number of

digits.

**Exchange** A defined area served by one or more central offices regardless of technical serving

> arrangements within which the company furnishes service at rates and rules prescribed for that area in the company's filed tariffs. The area is not necessarily marked by political

boundaries or the location of host or remote switching units.

**Extended Area** The ability of a customer to call customers in other exchanges at no additional charge or at an

additional charge per tariff. Service (EAS)

**Extended** The ability of a customer to call customers in other exchanges at rates usually above EAS

rates but below toll rates for comparable distances. Rates generally include a duration Calling (ECC) element.

Community

**Feature Group A** Line-side originating and terminating LATA access for which an originating subscriber dials an

> assigned telephone number that connects to a specific interexchange carrier (IC). The IC returns a tone to signal the caller to input additional generated digits of the called number.

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Trunk-side originating and terminating LATA access for which an originating subscriber dials a Feature Group B

> 950-WXXX number (where W=0, 1 and XXX is the carrier access code (CAC)), which is translated to a specific XXX carrier trunk group. Optional rotary dial service and ANI may be

available.

**Feature Group C** Trunk-side LATA access for AT&T-Communications generally on a direct

basis between each end office (EO) and an AT&T-C switching system.

Feature Group D Also referred to as equal access. It is trunk-side LATA access affording call supervision of an

interexchange carrier, a uniform access code (10XXXXX), optional calling party identification,

recording of access-charge billing details and presubscription to a customer specified

interexchange carrier.

**FX-IN** A nonswitched service where the customer of the company is connected to and receives

switching service through central office equipment located in another exchange area.

A switched service where facilities are provided from the central office out to the exchange **FX-OUT** 

boundary where it meets the line from a foreign exchange subscriber.

**Host Switching System** 

A switching system that provides centralized control over most of the switching functions of one or more remote switching units. The host switching system usually provides trunk access

to the operating company intraLATA networks.

**Local Access Transport Area** (LATA)

A geographic area within which an operating company may offer its telecommunications

services.

Mobile Telephone A service which provides radio telephone communication from a mobile vehicle to another

vehicle or to a regular telephone.

A service which provides one-way signal or voice communication over a radio channel to a **Paging** 

miniature receiver carried by the customer.

Pair Two wires of a single circuit.

**Pay Station** A telephone which normally requires all users to deposit one or more coins or use a

credit card to complete a call.

**Private Line** Service

Channel or circuit rented for private use and not intended to be connected to the general

distribution system.

**Private Branch** Exchange (PBX) A manually, or operator controlled switching system, usually on the customer's premises,

which serves that customer's telephones over a common group of lines from the central office.

Radio Common Carrier (RCC)

A company which furnishes public telecommunications service using one or more radio

channels.

Remote Switching An electronic switching system that is remote from its host or control office. All of the central

Unit (RSU) control equipment for the RSU is located in the host switching system.

#### ANNUAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS REPORT GLOSSARY OF TERMS

#### **Route Miles**

Total number of route miles (to the nearest mile) of operating plant facilities including drop wire in the exchange. One route mile may consist of:

- 1. One mile of roadway with any combination of outside plant facilities on any number of rights-of-way.
- 2. One mile of a cross country route with any combination of outside plant facilities.
- 3. One mile of point-to-point microwave or radio link.
- 4. One mile of plant on either side of a limited access highway or natural barrier, such as a navigable waterway.
- One mile of joint use line where the utility either owns the facility or leases space.

#### Stand Alone Switch

A central office switch which has no remote switching units (RSUs) subtending it.

#### Trunk

A communications path connecting two switching systems in the establishment of an end-to-end connection.

## Wide Area Telephone Service (WATS)

Customer leased access line or lines connected to the nationwide network over which an unlimited number of calls can be made for a fixed monthly charge.

#### Wire Center

The location of one or more local switching systems. A point at which customers' loops converge.

# **ABBREVIATIONS USED IN ANNUAL REPORTS**

| Acct<br>Accum<br>Acq<br>Admin<br>Alloc<br>Amort | Account Accumulated Acquisition Administrative Allocation Amortization   |
|---|--|
| СО  | <br>Central Office   |
| Depr  | <br>Depreciation   |
| Equip<br>Exp<br>EOY                             | <br>Equipment Expenses End of Year   |
| FOY   | <br>First of Year  |
| Info<br>ITC                                     | <br>Information<br>Investment Tax Credit   |
| Misc  | <br>Miscellaneous  |
| Nonoper<br>Nonreg                               | <br>Nonoperating<br>Nonregulated   |
| Oper<br>Opns<br>Orig                            | <br>Operating Operations Originating   |
| Prop  | <br>Property   |
| Receiv<br>Reg<br>Rev                            | <br>Receivable<br>Regulated<br>Revenues  |
| Svcs  | <br>Services   |
| Telecom<br>Term<br>TPIS<br>TPUC                 | <br>Telecommunications Terminating Telecommunications Plant in Service Telecommunications Plant Under Construction |

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#### **IDENTIFICATION AND OWNERSHIP**

Exact Utility Name: CRANDON TELEPHONE COMPANY

Utility Location: 105 S HAZELDELL AVE

CRANDON, WI 54520

**Utility Web Site Address:** 

When was utility organized?: 01/01/1905

Report any change in name and the effective date:

Officer in charge of correspondence concerning this report

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Title: ASSISTANT SECRETARY AND ASSISTANT TREASURER

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RHINELANDER, WI 54501-0340

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Individual or firm, if other than utility employee, preparing this report

Name:

Title:

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#### **IDENTIFICATION AND OWNERSHIP**

List names, addresses, and number of shares held by persons owning 5 percent or more of outstanding voting securities. If any stock is held by a nominee, give known particulars as to the beneficial owner (See Wis. Stat. § 196.795(1)(c), for definition of beneficial owner).

Name: RHINELANDER TLECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Address: 53 NORTH STEVENS STREET

**PO BOX 340** 

RHINELANDER, WI 54501-0340

Number of Shares Held: 300

Beneficial Owner: NONE

# **INCOME STATEMENT - TOTAL COMPANY**

| Particulars<br>(a)                            | This Year<br>(b) | Last Year<br>(c) |    |
|---|------------------|------------------|----|
| Operating Revenues (5000-5300)                | 2,507,712        | 2,318,280        | 1  |
| Operating Expenses                            |                  |                  |    |
| Plant Specific Operations Expense (6110-6410) | 272,153          | 232,454          | 2  |
| Plant Nonspecific Operations Expense          | 698,952          | 745,052          | 3  |
| Customer Operations Expense (6610-6620)       | 335,398          | 287,096          | 4  |
| Corporate Operations Expense (6710-6790)      | 242,679          | 205,007          | 5  |
| Other Operating Income and Expense (7100)     | 0                | 0                | 6  |
| Operating Taxes (7200)                        | 390,923          | 308,511          | 7  |
| Total Operating Expenses                      | 1,940,105        | 1,778,120        | 8  |
| Net Operating Income                          | 567,607          | 540,160          | 9  |
| Other Income                                  |                  |                  |    |
| Nonoperating Income and Expense (7300)        | 54,544           | 8,701            | 10 |
| Nonoperating Taxes (7400)                     | 21,545           | 5,739            | 11 |
| Interest and Related Items (7500)             | 171,884          | 184,253          | 12 |
| Extraordinary Items (7600)                    | 0                | 0                | 13 |
| Nonregulated Net Income (7990)                | (1,879)          | 3,445            | 14 |
| Total Nonoperating Income                     | (140,764)        | (177,846)        | 15 |
| Net Income                                    | 426,843          | 362,314          | 16 |

#### NOTES TO INCOME STATEMENT OR BALANCE SHEET

In the space provided below, disclose all material information not included elsewhere in this report that is necessary to make the financial statements clear and understandable. Included should be:

1. A summary of significant accounting policies. (The summaries should disclose, but not be limited to, the utility's accounting policies with regard to pension cost, unbilled revenues, depreciation, and income taxes.)

#### NONE

2. A summary of significant contingent assets and liabilities existing at year end, including a brief explanation of any action initiated by the Internal Revenue Service, Wisconsin Department of Revenue, or the utility involving a possible assessment or refund of taxes.

#### NONE

3. The notes should include an explicit and precise explanation of any retained earnings restrictions and should state the amount of retained earnings affected by such restrictions.

#### NONE

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# BALANCE SHEET - ASSETS (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY \*)

| Particulars<br>(a)                              | BalanceEOY<br>(b) | BalanceFOY<br>(c) | _      |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|--------|
| CURRENT ASSETS                                  |                   |                   |        |
| CASH AND EQUIVALENTS                            |                   | 0                 |        |
| Cash and Equivalents (1120)*                    | 00.074            | 0                 | 1      |
| Cash (1130)                                     | 32,274            | 10,991            | _ 2    |
| Special Cash Deposits (1140)                    |                   | 0                 | 3      |
| Working Cash Advances (1150)                    | 500               | 500               | _ 4    |
| Temporary Investments (1160)                    | 321,123           | 514,876           | 5      |
| TOTAL CASH AND EQUIVALENTS                      | 353,897           | 526,367           | _      |
| RECEIVABLES AND ALLOWANCES FOR DOUBTFUL ACCOUNT | ITS               |                   |        |
| Telecommunications Accounts Receivable (1180)*  | 26,142            | 17,295            | _ 6    |
| Accounts Receivable Allowance-Telecom (1181)*   |                   | 0                 | 7      |
| Net: Telecommunications Accounts Receivable     | 26,142            | 17,295            |        |
| Other Accounts Receivable (1190)*               | 211,161           | 213,938           | _ 8    |
| Accounts Receivable AllowanceOther (1191)*      |                   | 0                 | 9      |
| Net: Other Accounts Receivable                  | 211,161           | 213,938           |        |
| Notes Receivable (1200)*                        | 0                 | 0                 | _ 10   |
| Notes Receivable Allowance (1201)*              | 0                 | 0                 | 11     |
| Net: Notes Receivable                           | 0                 | 0                 |        |
| Interest and Dividends Receivable (1210)*       |                   | 0                 | _ 12   |
| TOTAL RECEIVABLES AND ALLOWANCES FOR DOUBTFUL   | 237,303           | 231,233           | _      |
| SUPPLIES  |                   |                   |        |
| Inventories (1220)*                             | 30,212            | 36,394            | 13     |
| TOTAL SUPPLIES                                  | 30,212            | 36,394            |        |
| PREPAYMENTS                                     |                   |                   | _      |
| Total Prepayments (1280)*                       |                   | 0                 | _ 14   |
| Prepaid Rents (1290)                            |                   | 0                 | 15     |
| Prepaid Taxes (1300)                            | 19,146            | 50,388            | 16     |
| Prepaid Insurance (1310)                        |                   | 0                 | 17     |
| Prepaid Directory Expenses (1320)               |                   | 0                 | 18     |
| Other Prepayments (1330)                        | 15,872            | 11,816            | <br>19 |
| TOTAL PREPAYMENTS                               | 35,018            | 62,204            |        |
| OTHER CURRENT ASSETS                            | ·                 | ·                 | _      |
| Other Current Assets (1350)*                    |                   | 0                 | 20     |
| TOTAL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS                      | 0                 | 0                 | _      |
| TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS                            | 656,430           | 856,198           | _      |
| NONCURRENT ASSETS                               | ,                 | ,                 | _      |
| INVESTMENTS                                     |                   |                   |        |
| Investment in Affiliated Companies (1401)*      | 0                 | 0                 | 21     |
| Investments in Nonaffiliated Companies (1402)*  | 334,765           | 334,765           | 22     |
| Nonregulated Investments (1406)*                | 42,896            | 34,450            | <br>23 |
| Unamortized Debt Issuance Expense (1407)*       | 3,347             | 3,616             | 24     |
| Sinking Funds (1408)*                           | 0                 | 0                 | 25     |

# BALANCE SHEET - ASSETS (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY \*)

| Particulars<br>(a)   | BalanceEOY<br>(b) | BalanceFOY<br>(c) |      |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|------|
| NONCURRENT ASSETS  |                   |                   |      |
| INVESTMENTS  |                   |                   |      |
| Other Noncurrent Assets (1410)*                              |                   | 0                 | _ 26 |
| TOTAL INVESTMENTS  | 381,008           | 372,831           | _    |
| DEFERRED CHARGES   |                   |                   |      |
| Deferred Tax Regulatory Asset (1437)*                        | 0                 | 0                 | 27   |
| Deferred Maintenance and Retirements (1438)*                 | 0                 | 0                 | _ 28 |
| Deferred Charges (1439)*                                     |                   | 0                 | 29   |
| TOTAL DEFERRED CHARGES                                       | 0                 | 0                 | _    |
| TOTAL NONCURRENT ASSETS                                      | 381,008           | 372,831           | _    |
| PLANT  |                   |                   | _    |
| TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE                          |                   |                   |      |
| Telecommunications Plant in Service (2001)*                  | 10,091,337        | 9,876,978         | _ 30 |
| Less: Accumulated Depreciation (3100)*                       | 3,905,170         | 3,412,941         | 31   |
| Less: Accumulated AmortizationCapitalized Leases (3410)*     |                   | 0                 | _ 32 |
| Less: Accumulated AmortizationLeasehold Improvements (3420)* |                   | 0                 | 33   |
| Less: Accumulated AmortizationIntangible (3500)*             |                   | 0                 | _ 34 |
| NET TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE                      | 6,186,167         | 6,464,037         | _    |
| PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE USE                                 |                   |                   |      |
| Prop. Held for Future Telecommun. Use (2002)*                |                   | 0                 | 35   |
| Less: Accumulated DepreciationHeld for Future                |                   | 0                 | _ 36 |
| Telecommunications Use (3200)*                               | •                 | •                 |      |
| NET PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE USE                             | 0                 | 0                 | _    |
| NONOPERATING PLANT   |                   | •                 |      |
| Nonoperating Plant (2006)*                                   |                   | 0                 | 37   |
| Less: Accumulated DepreciationNonoperating (3300)*           |                   | 0                 | _ 38 |
| NET NONOPERATING PLANT                                       | 0                 | 0                 | _    |
| TPUC   |                   |                   |      |
| TPUC (2003)*   | 694,314           | 6,657             | 39   |
| TOTAL TPUC   | 694,314           | 6,657             | _    |
| TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT ADJUSTMENT                          |                   |                   |      |
| Telecommunications Plant Adjustment (2005)*                  |                   | 0                 | _ 40 |
| Less: Accumulated AmortizationOther (3600)*                  |                   | 0                 | 41   |
| NET TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT ADJUSTMENT                      | 0                 | 0                 | _    |
| TOTAL PLANT  | 6,880,481         | 6,470,694         |      |
| TOTAL ASSETS AND OTHER DEBITS*                               | 7,917,919         | 7,699,723         | _    |

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# BALANCE SHEET - LIABILITIES (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY \*)

| Particulars<br>(a)  | BalanceEOY<br>(b) | BalanceFOY<br>(c) |      |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|------|
| CURRENT LIABILITIES                                       |                   |                   |      |
| Accounts Payable (4010)*                                  | 618,656           | 109,478           | 1    |
| Notes Payable (4020)*                                     | 0                 | 0                 | 2    |
| Advance Billing and Payments (4030)*                      |                   | 0                 | 3    |
| Customer Deposits (4040)*                                 |                   | 0                 | _ 4  |
| Current MaturitiesLong-Term Debt (4050)*                  | 138,836           | 138,500           | 5    |
| Current MaturitiesCapital Leases (4060)*                  |                   | 0                 | _ 6  |
| Income TaxesAccrued (4070)*                               |                   | 0                 | 7    |
| Other TaxesAccrued (4080)*                                | 8,326             | 11                | _ 8  |
| Net Current Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4100)*       | 0                 | 0                 | 9    |
| Net Current Deferred Nonoperating Income Taxes (4110)*    |                   | 0                 | _ 10 |
| Other Accrued Liabilities (4120)*                         | 41,005            | 38,223            | 11   |
| Other Current Liabilities (4130)*                         |                   | 0                 | 12   |
| TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES*                                | 806,823           | 286,212           | _    |
| LONG-TERM DEBT  |                   |                   |      |
| Funded Debt (4210)*                                       | 3,156,760         | 3,296,204         | 13   |
| Premium on Long-Term Debt (4220)*                         |                   | 0                 | _ 14 |
| Discount on Long-Term Debt (4230)*                        |                   | 0                 | 15   |
| Reacquired Debt (4240)*                                   | 0                 | 0                 | 16   |
| Obligations Under Capital Leases (4250)*                  |                   | 0                 | 17   |
| Advances from Affiliated Companies (4260)*                | 0                 | 0                 | 18   |
| Other Long-Term Debt (4270)*                              | 0                 | 0                 | 19   |
| TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT*                                     | 3,156,760         | 3,296,204         | _    |
| OTHER LIABILITIES AND DEFERRED CREDITS                    |                   |                   |      |
| Other Long-Term Liabilities (4310)*                       |                   | 0                 | _ 20 |
| Unamortized Operating ITCNet (4320)*                      | 75,094            | 85,987            | 21   |
| Unamortized Nonoperating ITCNet (4330)*                   |                   | 0                 | _ 22 |
| Net Noncurrent Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4340)*    | 718,190           | 747,188           | 23   |
| Net Deferred Tax Liability Adjustments (4341)*            | (49,044)          | (56,157)          | _ 24 |
| Net Noncurrent Deferred Nonoperating Income Taxes (4350)* |                   | 0                 | 25   |
| Other Deferred Credits (4360)*                            | 77                | 0                 | _ 26 |
| Deferred Tax Regulatory Liability (4361)*                 | 49,044            | 56,157            | 27   |
| TOTAL OTHER LIABILITIES AND DEFERRED CREDITS*             | 793,361           | 833,175           | _    |
| STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY                                      |                   |                   |      |
| Capital Stock (4510)*                                     | 7,500             | 7,500             | _ 28 |
| Additional Paid-in Capital (4520)*                        |                   | 0                 | 29   |
| Treasury Stock (4530)*                                    | 0                 | 0                 | 30   |
| Other Capital (4540)*                                     |                   | 0                 | 31   |
| Retained Earnings (4550)*                                 | 3,153,475         | 3,276,632         | _ 32 |
| TOTAL STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY*                               | 3,160,975         | 3,284,132         | _    |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND OTHER CREDITS*                      | 7,917,919         | 7,699,723         |      |

## STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

| Item<br>(a)   | Amount<br>(b) |    |
|---|---------------|----|
| CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES  |               |    |
| Net Income  | 426,843       | 1  |
| Adjustments to Reconcile Net Income to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:               |               |    |
| Depreciation and amortization   | 631,843       | 2  |
| Interest during construction  | (3,009)       | 3  |
| Changes in assets and liabilities:  |               |    |
| Current assets (net)  | 27,298        | 4  |
| Other noncurrent assets   | (269)         | 5  |
| Other current liabilities   | 520,275       | 6  |
| Other liabilities and deferred credits  | (39,814)      | 7  |
| Other (specify): TOTAL ADJUSTMENTS  | 1,136,324     |    |
| NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES (NET INCOME & ADJUST.)                                | 1,563,167     |    |
| CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES  | 1,000,101     |    |
| Capital Expenditures:   |               |    |
| Changes in plant (net)  | (1,038,621)   | 8  |
| Investments in affiliated companies   | 0             | 9  |
| Nonoperating Investments  | (8,446)       | 10 |
| Other (specify): NET CASH USING IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES   | (1,047,067)   |    |
| CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES  |               |    |
| Change in capital lease obligations (net)   | 0             | 11 |
| Change in long-term debt (net)  | (138,570)     | 12 |
| Net changes in stockholder equity other than retained earnings                                  | 0             | 13 |
| Change in short term borrowing (net)  | 0             | 14 |
| Dividends paid  | (550,000)     | 15 |
| Miscellaneous debits/credits to retained earnings   | 0             | 16 |
| Other (specify): Net Cash Provided by Financing Activities                                      | (688,570)     |    |
| NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS   | (172,470)     |    |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year (Accts. 1130-1160 for Class A; 1120 for Class B) |               |    |

Cash and cash equivalents at end of year

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(Accts. 1130-1160 for Class A; 1120 for Class B)

#### IMPORTANT CHANGES DURING THE YEAR

1. Give the name and address of all companies which during the year came under the direct control of the respondent otherwise than through title to securities, stating whether such control is sole or joint, how control was established, names of other parties to a joint agreement for control, the extent of control exercised by each party, and any other pertinent data requisite to a clear understanding of the arrangements relating to control (See Section 32.9000 of the Uniform System of Accounts). Where important details relating to control of a company have changed, give particulars. If during the year a company ceased to be controlled by the respondent, its name and a statement of fact will be sufficient.

#### NONE

2. Give the name and address of all companies which during the year came under the indirect control of the respondent through non-reporting intermediaries, stating whether such control is sole or joint, how control was established, names of other parties to a joint agreement for control, the extent of control exercised by each party, the name and address of the intermediary through which the indirect control exists, and any other pertinent data requisite to a clear understanding of the arrangements relating to control (See Section 32.9000 of the Uniform System of Accounts). Where important details relating to control of a company have changed, give particulars. If during the year a company ceased to be controlled by the respondent, its name and a statement of fact will be sufficient.

3. Important leaseholds acquired, given, assigned or surrendered, giving effective dates, lengths of terms, names of parties, rents, and other conditions.

#### NONE

4. List extension of system (other than additions supplementing existing facilities of the respondent) whether by purchase, construction, donation, or otherwise, such as a substantially complete telephone system, exchange or toll line. Give the location, new territory covered, and dates of beginning operation, and in case of purchase give also the name and address of the company from which purchased, date of acquisition, the consideration given, and reference to Commission authorization.

#### NONE

5. Estimated increase or decrease in annual revenues due to important rate changes, giving bases of estimates.

#### NONE

6. Obligation incurred or assumed by respondent as guarantor for the performance by another of any agreement or obligation, excluding ordinary commercial paper maturing on demand or not later than one year after date of issue.

#### NONE

7. Changes in articles of incorporation or amendments to charter.

#### NONE

8. Additional matters of fact (not elsewhere provided for) which respondent may desire to include in its report.

#### NONE

# Year ended: December 31,1996

#### **AFFILIATE ABBREVIATIONS**

In column (b) provide the abbreviation for the name of the affiliate shown in column (a). Limit abbreviations to 10 characters or less. Use these abbreviations when completing the affiliated interest schedules. Insert "Other" in the Abbreviations column if the activity to be reported for a particular record in the Affiliated Interest Transactions or Affiliated Assets and Liabilities schedule represents an aggregation of activity not exceeding the dollar or percentage limits set forth in the header of that schedule.

| Name of Affiliate                  | Abbreviations |   |
|------------------------------------|---------------|---|
| (a)                                | (b)           |   |
| HEADWATERS TELEPHONE COMPANY       | HDWTRS        | 1 |
| RHINELANDER TLEPHONE COMPANY       | RHLNDR        | 2 |
| RHINELANDER TELECOMMUNICATIONS INC | RTI           | 3 |

#### AFFILIATED INTEREST TRANSACTIONS

Provide a summary of transactions under established affiliated interest contracts and arrangements (see Wis. Stat. § 196.52, for "affiliated interest" definitions). Use the space below to report transactions with individual affiliates and multiple affiliated interest agreements or, at the utility's option, with individual affiliates and a single agreement. Activity associated with affiliated contracts or arrangements not in excess of \$25,000 or 5 percent of the equity of the utility, whichever is smaller, may be aggregated in a single record. For utilities whose intrastate gross operating revenues of the previous year exceeded \$100,000,000, individual contracts or arrangements not exceeding \$100,000 may be aggregated in a single record. Where an affiliate is both providing and receiving service use one record to show billings to and a second record for billings from. When billings to or from an affiliate are recorded on the books of the utility, the records underlying such billings shall be sufficient to show all the detail maintained to identify the associated accounts related to the billing and categorize billings according to the account categories shown below.

| Particulars  |        |        |         |     |     |
|--|--------|--------|---------|-----|-----|
| (a)  | (b)    | (c)    | (d)     | (e) |     |
| Docket   | None   | None   | None    |     |     |
| Name of Affiliate  | HDWTRS | HDWTRS | RHLNDR  |     | _   |
| Designate whether billed to or from:   | FROM   | TO     | FROM    |     |     |
| Cost Based (C), Market Price (M),<br>Prevailing Price (P), Tariff (T), Other (O) | С      | С      | С       |     |     |
| Revenues   | 12,040 |        |         |     |     |
| Expenses: Plant Specific Operations Expense                                      |        |        |         |     |     |
| Plant Nonspecific Operations Expense   |        |        | 42,717  |     |     |
| Customer Operations Expense  | 19,575 |        | 9,903   |     |     |
| Corporate Operations Expense   | 4,517  |        | 56,044  |     |     |
| Total Operating Expenses   | 24,092 | 0      | 108,664 | 0   | _   |
| Other:   |        |        |         |     |     |
| Plant Accounts   |        |        |         |     | _ ' |
| Accumulated Depreciation   |        |        |         |     | •   |
| Accumulated Amortization   |        |        |         |     | _ ' |
| Clearing   |        |        |         |     | •   |
| All Other  |        | 1,229  | 7,254   |     | _ ' |
| Total  | 36,132 | 1,229  | 115,918 | 0   | •   |
| Percent of affiliate's business billed to all affiliated regulated utilities     |        |        |         |     | _   |
| If cost based, rate of return on equity or markup incorporated in billings       | 0.00   |        | 0.00    |     | _   |
|  | 0.00   |        | 0.00    |     | _   |

#### **AFFILIATED ASSETS AND LIABILITIES**

This schedule should be used to report affiliated activity concerning balances at the end of the year for the following accounts: 1120, Cash and Equivalents; 1160, Temporary Investments; 1180, Telecommunications Accounts Receivable; 1190, Other Accounts Receivable; 1210, Interest and Dividends Receivable; 1401, Investment in Affiliated Companies; 4010, Accounts Payable; and 4260, Advances from Affiliated Companies. Amounts at the end of the year for each affiliate should be identified by respective affiliate and account number. Report information below consecutively by respective account number; affiliated amounts of less than \$5,000 may be reported in aggregate as "other" for a particular account. Affiliated amounts recorded in accounts 1200, Notes Receivable, 1408, Sinking Funds, and 4020, Notes Payable, should not be reported in this schedule, but rather in the respective schedules contained elsewhere in this report.

| Name of Affiliate<br>(a)             | Account<br>Number<br>(b) | Balance<br>EOY<br>(c) |   |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|---|
| HEADWATERS TELEPHONE COMPANY         | 1190                     | (6,523)               | 1 |
| RHINELANDER TLEPHONE COMPANY         | 1190                     | (42,542)              | 2 |
| RHINELANDER TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. | 1190                     | (37,140)              | 3 |

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# **ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE NET WRITE OFFS - TELECOMMUNICATIONS**

This schedule should be used to report accounts receivable net write off activity.

| Particulars<br>(a)                           | Amount<br>(b) |
|--|---------------|
| Collection of amounts previously written off |               |
| Uncollectibles written off during the year   | 2             |
| Net write offs during the year               | 0             |

# NOTES RECEIVABLE (ACCT. 1200) AND ALLOWANCES (ACCT. 1201)

For affiliates, list by issue or note by affiliate. Other, list by issue or note by entity. Separately identify economic development loans and associated particulars.

| Name of Maker | Issue |          | Interest | Amount | Allowance  |  |
|---------------|-------|----------|----------|--------|------------|--|
| and purpose   | Date  | Maturity | Rate     | EOY    | Acct. 1201 |  |
| (a)           | (b)   | (c)      | (d)      | (e)    | (f)        |  |

**NONE** 

Total \_\_\_\_\_\_0 \_\_\_1

# **INVESTMENTS IN NONAFFILIATED COMPANIES (ACCT. 1402)**

| Name<br>(a)                                  | Balance<br>EOY<br>(b) |   |
|--|-----------------------|---|
| RTB Class B Stock                            | 23,550                | 1 |
| Other:                                       |                       |   |
| CELLULAR PARTNERSHIP - RSA #3                | 311,215               | 2 |
| Total Investments in Nonaffiliated Companies | 334,765               |   |
|  |                       |   |

# **NONREGULATED INVESTMENTS (ACCT. 1406)**

Report below the name and end-of-year balance of total net investment and inventory (accts. 1406.10, 1406.11 and 1406.12) for each nonregulated activity. Telephone utilities not subject to dual jurisdiction should report materials and supplies held for resale in account 1406.

| Name<br>(a)  | Balance<br>EOY<br>(b) |   |
|--|-----------------------|---|
| Total Net Investment and Inventory ( Accts. 1406.10, 1406.11, and 1406.12 ): |                       | _ |
| LEASED MOBILE PHONES AND PAGERS  | 24,247                | 1 |
| DEPRECIATION RESERVE   | (12,658)              | 2 |
| NON-REGULATED INVENTORY  | 31,307                | 3 |

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# **DEFERRED MAINTENANCE AND RETIREMENTS (ACCT. 1438)**

List items individually by Commission approval noting the date of approval.

| Description | Balance |
|-------------|---------|
| of Item     | EOY     |
| (a)         | (b)     |

### **NONE**

Total 0

# **TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B**

| Plant Account<br>(a)  | Account<br>(b) | Balance<br>FOY<br>(c) | Additions<br>(d) |             |
|---|----------------|-----------------------|------------------|-------------|
| GENERAL SUPPORT ASSETS  |                |                       |                  | <del></del> |
| Land  | 2111           | 33,500                |                  | 1           |
| Motor Vehicles  | 2112           | 144,950               |                  | 2           |
| Aircraft  | 2113           | 0                     |                  | <br>3       |
| Special Purpose Vehicles  | 2114           | 0                     |                  | 4           |
| Garage Work Equipment   | 2115           | 0                     |                  | 5           |
| Other Work Equipment  | 2116           | 187,487               | 805              | 6           |
| Buildings   | 2121           | 751,769               |                  | 7           |
| Furniture   | 2122           | 28,908                |                  | 8           |
| Office Equipment  | 2123           | 41,629                | 0                | 9           |
| General Purpose Computers                                       | 2124           | 59,657                | 11,995           | 10          |
| TOTALGENERAL SUPPORT ASSETS:                                    |                | 1,247,900             | 12,800           |             |
| CENTRAL OFFICE ASSETS   |                |                       |                  |             |
| Analog Electronic Switching                                     | 2211           | 0                     |                  | 11          |
| Digital Electronic Switching                                    | 2212           | 1,704,824             | 9,000            | 12          |
| Electro-Mechanical Switching                                    | 2215           | 0                     | 0                | 13          |
| Operator Systems  | 2220           | 0                     |                  | 14          |
| Radio Systems   | 2231           | 91,491                | 0                | 15          |
| Circuit Equipment   | 2232           | 896,912               | 3,441            | 16 A        |
| TOTALCENTRAL OFFICE ASSETS:                                     |                | 2,693,227             | 12,441           |             |
| INFORMATION ORIGINATION/TERMINATION ASSE                        |                |                       |                  |             |
| Station Apparatus   | 2311           | 0                     |                  | 17          |
| Customer Premises Wiring  | 2321           | 0                     |                  | 18          |
| Large Private Branch Exchanges                                  | 2341           | 0                     |                  | 19          |
| Public Telephone Terminal Equipment                             | 2351           | 27,160                |                  | 20          |
| Other Terminal Equipment  | 2362           | 0                     |                  | 21 A        |
| TOTALINFORMATION ORIG/TERM ASSETS: CABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSETS |                | 27,160                | 0                |             |
| Poles   | 2411           | 17,314                |                  | 22          |
| Aerial Cable  | 2421           | 0                     | 0                | 23          |
| Underground Cable   | 2422           | 366,084               | 74,741           | 24          |
| Buried Cable  | 2423           | 4,891,514             | 252,907          | 25          |
| Submarine Cable   | 2424           | 0                     | 0                | 26          |
| Deep Sea Cable  | 2425           | 0                     |                  | 27          |
| Intrabuilding Network Cable                                     | 2426           | 0                     | 0                | 28          |
| Aerial Wire   | 2431           | 0                     |                  | 29          |
| Conduit Systems   | 2441           | 633,779               | 1,429            | 30          |
| TOTALCABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSETS: AMORTIZABLE ASSETS           |                | 5,908,691             | 329,077          |             |
| Capital Leases  | 2681           | 0                     |                  | 31          |

# TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B (cont.)

| Account<br>(e) | Retirements<br>(f) | Transfers /<br>Adjustments<br>(g) | Balance<br>EOY<br>(h) |      |
|----------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|------|
|                |                    |                                   |                       |      |
| 2111           |                    |                                   | 33,500                | 1    |
| 2112           |                    |                                   | 144,950               | 2    |
| 2113           |                    |                                   | 0                     | 3    |
| 2114           |                    |                                   | 0                     | 4    |
| 2115           |                    |                                   | 0                     | 5    |
| 2116           | 10,367             |                                   | 177,925               | 6    |
| 2121           |                    |                                   | 751,769               | 7    |
| 2122           | 13,401             |                                   | 15,507                | 8    |
| 2123           | 5,284              | 0                                 | 36,345                | 9    |
| 2124           | 18,486             |                                   | 53,166                | 10   |
|                | 47,538             | 0                                 | 1,213,162             |      |
|                |                    |                                   |                       |      |
| 2211           | •                  | (400, 470)                        | 0                     | 11   |
| 2212           | 0                  | (139,473)                         | 1,574,351             | 12   |
| 2215           | 0                  | 0                                 | 0                     | 13   |
| 2220           |                    |                                   | 0                     | 14   |
| 2231           | 0                  | 0                                 | 91,491                | 15   |
| 2232           | 0                  | 137,751                           | 1,038,104             | 16 A |
|                | 0                  | (1,722)                           | 2,703,946             |      |
| 2311           |                    |                                   | 0                     | 17   |
| 2321           |                    |                                   | 0                     | 18   |
| 2341           |                    |                                   | 0                     | 19   |
| 2351           |                    |                                   | 27,160                | 20   |
| 2362           |                    | 1,722                             | 1,722                 | 21 A |
|                | 0                  | 1,722                             | 28,882                |      |
|                |                    | ,                                 | ,                     |      |
| 2411           |                    |                                   | 17,314                | 22   |
| 2421           | 0                  | 0                                 | 0                     | 23   |
| 2422           | 0                  | 0                                 | 440,825               | 24   |
| 2423           | 92,421             | 0                                 | 5,052,000             | 25   |
| 2424           | 0                  | 0                                 | 0                     | 26   |
| 2425           |                    |                                   | 0                     | 27   |
| 2426           | 0                  | 0                                 | 0                     | 28   |
| 2431           |                    |                                   | 0                     | 29   |
| 2441           |                    |                                   | 635,208               | 30   |
|                | 92,421             | 0                                 | 6,145,347             |      |
| 2681           |                    |                                   | 0                     | 31   |

# **TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B**

|   |         | Balance   |           |    |
|---|---------|-----------|-----------|----|
| Plant Account                                   | Account | FOY       | Additions |    |
| (a)   | (b)     | (c)       | (d)       |    |
| AMORTIZABLE ASSETS                              |         |           |           |    |
| Leasehold Improvements                          | 2682    | 0         |           | 32 |
| Intangibles                                     | 2690    | 0         |           | 33 |
| TOTALAMORTIZABLE ASSETS:                        |         | 0         | 0         |    |
| TOTAL TELECOM. PLANT IN SERVICE                 | 2001    | 9,876,978 | 354,318   |    |
| Less: Allocation to Nonregulated Activity - EOY | 2001    |           |           | 34 |
| NET REG. TOTAL TELE. PLANT IN SERV EOY          | 2001    |           |           |    |

Explain all amounts shown in column (g).

# **TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B (cont.)**

|    | Balance<br>EOY<br>(h) | Transfers /<br>Adjustments<br>(g) | Retirements<br>(f) | Account<br>(e) |
|----|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------|----------------|
| 32 | 0                     |                                   |                    | 2682           |
| 33 | 0                     |                                   |                    | 2690           |
|    | 0                     | 0                                 | 0                  |                |
|    | 10,091,337            | 0                                 | 139,959            |                |
| 34 |                       |                                   |                    | 2001           |
|    | 40.004.227            |                                   |                    |                |

# TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B (SUB-CLASS ACCOUNTS)

Report telecommunications plant data for each subaccount where primary plant accounts have subclassifications. Amounts pertaining to subaccount 2212.4, Test Equipment, should be reported in account 2212.2, Digital Switching -Central Office; amounts for subaccounts 2231.3, Microwave, 2231.4, Cellular, 2231.5, Mobile Radio, and 2231.6, Paging, should be included in 2231.2, Other Radio Facilities; amounts pertaining to subaccounts 2232.4, Digital Data Services, 2232.5, Digital Circuit - Subscriber, 2232.6, Digital Circuit - Trunk - Toll, and 2232.7, Concentrators, should be reported in 2232.1, Digital Circuit Equipment. Any other separate accounting for telephone plant at an individual telephone company should be consolidated and reported in the primary accounts as defined in the uniform system of accounts. Balance

|  |            | Dalalice  |           |         |
|--|------------|-----------|-----------|---------|
| Plant Subaccount                       | Subaccount | FOY       | Additions |         |
| (a)                                    | (b)        | (c)       | (d)       | _       |
| Office Support Equipment               | 2123.1     | 36,743    |           | 1       |
| Company Communications Equipment       | 2123.2     | 4,886     |           | _ 2     |
| Software                               | 2212.1     | 1,704,824 | 9,000     | 3       |
| Digital Switching - Central Office     | 2212.2     | 0         |           | _ 4     |
| Digital Switching - Remote             | 2212.3     | 0         |           | 5       |
| Step by Step Switching                 | 2215.1     | 0         |           | _ 6     |
| Crossbar Switching                     | 2215.2     | 0         |           | 7       |
| Satellite and Earth Station Facilities | 2231.1     | 91,491    |           | _ 8     |
| Other Radio Facilities                 | 2231.2     | 0         |           | _ (     |
| Digital Circuit Equipment              | 2232.1     | 788,474   | 3,441     | 10      |
| Analog Circuit Equipment               | 2232.2     | 0         |           | 11      |
| ight Wave Circuit Equipment            | 2232.3     | 108,438   |           | _ 12    |
| Aerial Cable - Nonmetallic             | 2421.1     | 0         |           | 13      |
| Aerial Cable - Metallic                | 2421.2     | 0         |           | _ 14    |
| Jnderground Cable - Nonmetallic        | 2422.1     | 73,606    | 52,995    | <br>15  |
| Jnderground Cable - Metallic           | 2422.2     | 292,478   | 21,746    | 16      |
| Buried Cable - Nonmetallic             | 2423.1     | 4,891,514 |           | <br>17  |
| Buried Cable - Metallic                | 2423.2     | 0         | 252,907   | 18      |
| Submarine Cable - Nonmetallic          | 2424.1     | 0         |           | <br>19  |
| Submarine Cable - Metallic             | 2424.2     | 0         |           | _20     |
| ntrabuilding Cable - Nonmetallic       | 2426.1     | 0         |           | _<br>21 |
| ntrabuilding Cable - Metallic          | 2426.2     | 0         |           | 22      |

Explain all amounts shown in column (g).

# TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B (SUB-CLASS ACCOUNTS) (cont.)

|      | Balance<br>EOY<br>(h) | Transfers /<br>Adjustments<br>(g) | Retirements<br>(f) | Subaccount<br>(e) |
|------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| 1    | 31,459                |                                   | 5,284              | 2123.1            |
| 2    | 4,886                 |                                   |                    | 2123.2            |
| 3 A  | 1,574,351             | (139,473)                         |                    | 2212.1            |
| 4    | 0                     |                                   |                    | 2212.2            |
| 5    | 0                     |                                   |                    | 2212.3            |
| 6    | 0                     |                                   |                    | 2215.1            |
| 7    | 0                     |                                   |                    | 2215.2            |
| 8    | 91,491                |                                   |                    | 2231.1            |
| 9    | 0                     |                                   |                    | 2231.2            |
| 10 A | 929,666               | 137,751                           |                    | 2232.1            |
| 11   | 0                     |                                   |                    | 2232.2            |
| 12   | 108,438               |                                   |                    | 2232.3            |
| 13   | 0                     |                                   |                    | 2421.1            |
| 14   | 0                     |                                   |                    | 2421.2            |
| 15   | 126,601               |                                   |                    | 2422.1            |
| 16   | 314,224               |                                   |                    | 2422.2            |
| 17 A | 428,879               | (4,462,635)                       |                    | 2423.1            |
| 18 A | 4,623,121             | 4,462,635                         | 92,421             | 2423.2            |
| 19   | 0                     |                                   |                    | 2424.1            |
| 20   | 0                     |                                   |                    | 2424.2            |
| 21   | 0                     |                                   |                    | 2426.1            |
| 22   | 0                     |                                   |                    | 2426.2            |

# **ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B**

| Primary<br>Plant Account<br>(a)     | Acct<br>(b) | Balance<br>FOY<br>(c) | Depr<br>Rate<br>(d) | Annual<br>Accrual<br>(e) | Additional<br>Accrual<br>(f) |             |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|-------------|
| GENERAL SUPPORT ASSETS              |             |                       |                     |                          |                              |             |
| Motor Vehicles                      | 2112        | 80,250                | 13.25               | 19,199                   |                              | 1           |
| Aircraft                            | 2113        | 0                     |                     |                          |                              | 2           |
| Special Purpose Vehicles            | 2114        | 0                     |                     |                          |                              | 3           |
| Garage Work Equipment               | 2115        | 0                     |                     |                          |                              | 4           |
| Other Work Equipment                | 2116        | 153,997               | 10.0                | 18,126                   |                              | 5           |
| Buildings                           | 2121        | 283,659               | 3.33                | 25,034                   |                              | 6           |
| Furniture                           | 2122        | 28,450                | 10.0                | 458                      |                              | 7           |
| Office Equipment                    | 2123        | 26,298                | 20.0                | 7,439                    |                              | 8           |
| General Purpose Computers           | 2124        | 44,805                | 25.0                | 11,739                   |                              | 9           |
| TotalGENERAL SUPPORT ASSETS         |             | 617,459               |                     | 81,995                   | 0                            | _           |
| CENTRAL OFFICE ASSETS               |             |                       |                     |                          |                              |             |
| Analog Electronic Switching         | 2211        | 0                     |                     |                          |                              | 10          |
| Digital Electronic Switching        | 2212        | 697,263               | 7.85                | 128,458                  |                              | 11A         |
| Electro-Mechanical Switching        | 2215        | 0                     |                     |                          |                              | 12          |
| Operator Systems                    | 2220        | 0                     |                     |                          |                              | 13          |
| Radio Systems                       | 2231        | 63,904                | 12.0                | 10,979                   |                              | 14          |
| Circuit Equipment                   | 2232        | 478,387               | 11.81               | 114,026                  |                              | 15A         |
| Total CENTRAL OFFICE ASSETS         |             | 1,239,554             |                     | 253,463                  | 0                            |             |
| INFORMATION ORIG/TERM ASSE          | TS          |                       |                     |                          |                              |             |
| Station Apparatus                   | 2311        | 0                     |                     |                          |                              | 16          |
| Customer Premises Wiring            | 2321        | 0                     |                     |                          |                              | 17          |
| Large Private Branch Exchanges      | 2341        | 0                     |                     |                          |                              | 18          |
| Public Telephone Terminal Equipment | 2351        | 27,160                | 13.57               |                          |                              | 19          |
| Other Terminal Equipment            | 2362        | 0                     | 13.57               | 127                      |                              | <b>20</b> A |
| TotalINFORMATION ORIG/TERM ASS      | ETS         | 27,160                |                     | 127                      | 0                            | •           |
| CABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSET         | S           |                       |                     |                          |                              | •           |
| Poles                               | 2411        | 13,382                | 11.67               | 2,021                    |                              | 21          |
| Aerial Cable                        | 2421        | 0                     |                     |                          |                              | 22          |
| Underground Cable                   | 2422        | 110,485               | 4.0816              | 17,992                   |                              | 23          |
| Buried Cable                        | 2423        | 1,286,107             | 5.0486              | 255,058                  |                              | 24          |
| Submarine Cable                     | 2424        | 0                     |                     |                          |                              | 25          |
| Deep Sea Cable                      | 2425        | 0                     |                     |                          |                              | 26          |
| Intrabuilding Network Cable         | 2426        | 0                     |                     |                          |                              | 27          |
| Aerial Wire                         | 2431        | 0                     |                     |                          |                              | 28          |

# **ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B**

| Primary<br>Plant Account<br>(a)                                | Acct<br>(b) | Balance<br>FOY<br>(c) | Depr<br>Rate<br>(d) | Annual<br>Accrual<br>(e) | Additional<br>Accrual<br>(f) |
|--|-------------|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| CABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSETS                                   |             |                       |                     |                          |                              |
| Conduit Systems  | 2441        | 118,794               | 3.48                | 22,074                   | 29                           |
| Total CABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSETS                             |             | 1,528,768             |                     | 297,145                  | 0                            |
| Total Accumulated Depreciation                                 | 3100        | 3,412,941             |                     | 632,730                  | 0                            |
| Less: Allocation to Nonregulated Activity - Columns e, f and I | 3100        |                       |                     |                          | 30                           |
| Net Regulated Total Accum Depreciation<br>Columns e, f and I   | - 3100      |                       |                     |                          |                              |

# ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B (cont.)

| Acct<br>(g)  | Retired<br>(h) | Cost of<br>Removal<br>(i) | Salvage<br>(j) | Other<br>(k) | Balance<br>EOY<br>(I) |                  |
|--------------|----------------|---------------------------|----------------|--------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| 2112         |                |                           |                |              | 99,449                | 1                |
| 2113         |                |                           |                |              | 0                     | 2                |
| 2114         |                |                           |                |              | 0                     | 3                |
| 2115         |                |                           |                |              | 0                     | 4                |
| 2116         | 10,367         |                           |                |              | 161,756               | 5                |
| 2121         |                |                           |                |              | 308,693               | 6                |
| 2122         | 13,401         |                           |                |              | 15,507                | 7                |
| 2123         | 5,284          |                           | 303            |              | 28,756                | 8                |
| 2124         | 18,486         |                           |                |              | 38,058                | 9                |
|              | 47,538         | 0                         | 303            | 0            | 652,219               |                  |
| 2211         |                |                           |                |              | 0                     | 10               |
| 2212         | 0              | 498                       |                | (8,945)      | 816,278               | 10<br>11 A       |
| 2215         | 0              | 400                       |                | (0,040)      | 0                     | 12               |
| 2220         |                |                           |                |              | 0                     | 13               |
| 2231         | 0              |                           |                | 0            | 74,883                | 14               |
| 2232         | 0              |                           |                | 7,895        | 600,308               | 15 A             |
|              | 0              | 498                       | 0              | (1,050)      | 1,491,469             |                  |
| 2311         |                |                           |                |              | 0                     | 16               |
| 2321         |                |                           |                |              | 0                     | 17               |
| 2341         |                |                           |                |              | 0                     | 18               |
| 2351         |                |                           |                |              | 27,160                | 19               |
| 2362         |                |                           |                | 1,050        | 1,177                 | <b>20</b> A      |
|              | 0              | 0                         | 0              | 1,050        | 28,337                |                  |
| 2411         |                |                           |                |              | 15 402                | 21               |
| 2411         | 0              |                           |                |              | 15,403<br>0           | 21               |
|              | 0              |                           |                |              |                       |                  |
| 2422<br>2423 |                | 1 204                     | 857            |              | 128,477               | 23               |
|              | 92,421         | 1,204                     | 100            |              | 1,448,397             | 24               |
| 2424<br>2425 | Ü              |                           |                |              | 0<br>0                | 25<br>26         |
| 2425         | 0              |                           |                |              | 0                     | 26<br>27         |
| 2426         | Ü              |                           |                |              | 0                     | 2 <i>1</i><br>28 |
| 2431         |                |                           |                |              | U                     | 26               |

# ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B (cont.)

| Acct<br>(g) | Retired<br>(h) | Cost of<br>Removal<br>(i) | Salvage<br>(j) | Other<br>(k) | Balance<br>EOY<br>(I) |    |
|-------------|----------------|---------------------------|----------------|--------------|-----------------------|----|
| 2441        |                |                           |                |              | 140,868               | 29 |
|             | 92,421         | 1,204                     | 857            | 0            | 1,733,145             |    |
| 3100        | 139,959        | 1,702                     | 1,160          | 0            | 3,905,170             |    |
| 3100        |                |                           |                |              |                       | 30 |
| 3100        |                |                           |                |              |                       |    |

#### **ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B (SUB-CLASS ACCOUNTS)**

Where subclassifications of primary plant accounts are used, report below the accumulated depreciation details for each subaccount. Amounts pertaining to subaccount 2212.4, Test Equipment, should be reported in account 2212.2, Digital Switching - Central Office; amounts for subaccounts 2231.3, Microwave, 2231.4, Cellular, 2231.5, Mobile Radio, and 2231.6, Paging, should be included in 2231.2, Other Radio Facilities; amounts pertaining to subaccounts 2232.4, Digital Data Services, 2232.5, Digital Circuit - Subscriber, 2232.6, Digital Circuit - Trunk - Toll, and 2232.7, Concentrators, should be reported in 2232.1, Digital Circuit Equipment. Any other separate accounting for telephone accumulated depreciation at an individual telephone company should be consolidated and reported in the primary accounts as defined in the uniform system of accounts.

| Plant Subaccount<br>(a)                | Subacct (b) | Balance<br>FOY<br>(c) | Depr<br>Rate<br>(d) | Annual<br>Accrual<br>(e) | Additional<br>Accrual<br>(f) |
|--|-------------|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| Office Support Equipment               | 2123.1      | 25,450                | 20.0                | 6,462                    | 1                            |
| Company Communications Equipment       | 2123.2      | 848                   | 20.0                | 977                      | 2                            |
| Software                               | 2212.1      | 697,263               |                     |                          | 3                            |
| Digital Switching - Central Office     | 2212.2      | 0                     | 7.85                | 128,458                  |                              |
| Digital Switching - Remote             | 2212.3      | 0                     |                     |                          | 5                            |
| Step by Step Switching                 | 2215.1      | 0                     |                     |                          | 6                            |
| Crossbar Switching                     | 2215.2      | 0                     |                     |                          | 7                            |
| Satellite and Earth Station Facilities | 2231.1      | 63,904                |                     |                          | 8                            |
| Other Radio Facilities                 | 2231.2      | 0                     | 12.0                | 10,979                   | 9                            |
| Digital Circuit Equipment              | 2232.1      | 446,842               | 12.0                | 103,725                  | 10                           |
| Analog Circuit Equipment               | 2232.2      | 0                     |                     |                          | 11                           |
| Light Wave Circuit Equipment           | 2232.3      | 31,545                | 9.5                 | 10,301                   | 12                           |
| Aerial Cable - Nonmetallic             | 2421.1      | 0                     |                     |                          | 13                           |
| Aerial Cable - Metallic                | 2421.2      | 0                     |                     |                          | 14                           |
| Underground Cable - Nonmetallic        | 2422.1      | 5,152                 | 4.07                | 3,085                    | 15                           |
| Underground Cable - Metallic           | 2422.2      | 105,333               | 5.0                 | 14,907                   | 16                           |
| Buried Cable - Nonmetallic             | 2423.1      | 39,667                | 4.57                | 19,600                   | 17                           |
| Buried Cable - Metallic                | 2423.2      | 1,246,440             | 5.25                | 235,458                  | 18                           |
| Submarine Cable - Nonmetallic          | 2424.1      | 0                     |                     |                          | 19                           |
| Submarine Cable - Metallic             | 2424.2      | 0                     |                     |                          | 20                           |
| Intrabuilding Cable - Nonmetallic      | 2426.1      | 0                     |                     |                          | 21                           |
| Intrabuilding Cable - Metallic         | 2426.2      | 0                     |                     |                          | 22                           |

## ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B (SUB-CLASS ACCOUNTS) (cont.)

| Subacct<br>(g) | Retired<br>(h) | Cost of<br>Removal<br>(i) | Salvage<br>(j) | Other<br>(k) | Balance<br>EOY<br>(I) |            |
|----------------|----------------|---------------------------|----------------|--------------|-----------------------|------------|
| 2123.1         | 5,284          |                           | 303            |              | 26,931                | 1          |
| 2123.2         |                |                           |                |              | 1,825                 | 2          |
| 2212.1         |                |                           |                | (697,263)    | 0                     | 3 A        |
| 2212.2         |                | 498                       |                | 688,318      | 816,278               | 4 A        |
| 2212.3         |                |                           |                |              | 0                     | 5          |
| 2215.1         |                |                           |                |              | 0                     | 6          |
| 2215.2         |                |                           |                |              | 0                     | 7          |
| 2231.1         |                |                           |                | (63,904)     | 0                     | <b>8</b> A |
| 2231.2         |                |                           |                | 63,904       | 74,883                | 9 A        |
| 2232.1         |                |                           |                | 7,895        | 558,462               | 10 A       |
| 2232.2         |                |                           |                |              | 0                     | 11         |
| 2232.3         |                |                           |                |              | 41,846                | 12         |
| 2421.1         |                |                           |                |              | 0                     | 13         |
| 2421.2         |                |                           |                |              | 0                     | 14         |
| 2422.1         |                |                           |                |              | 8,237                 | 15         |
| 2422.2         |                |                           |                |              | 120,240               | 16         |
| 2423.1         |                |                           |                |              | 59,267                | 17         |
| 2423.2         | 92,421         | 1,204                     | 857            |              | 1,389,130             | 18         |
| 2424.1         |                |                           |                |              | 0                     | 19         |
| 2424.2         |                |                           |                |              | 0                     | 20         |
| 2426.1         |                |                           |                |              | 0                     | 21         |
| 2426.2         |                |                           |                |              | 0                     | 22         |

## NET DEFERRED OPERATING INCOME TAXES (ACCT. 1350, 1410, 1437, 4100, 4340, 4341 & 4361)

This schedule should be used to report the deferred operating income tax portion of the stated accounts. In addition, column (e) of this schedule should be used to report the flowback of property related excess deferred taxes (e.g., 46 percent versus 34 percent federal tax rates). Credit amounts should be shown in ().

| Particulars  | Balance<br>FOY |     |
|--|----------------|-----|
| (a) PROPERTY RELATED   | (b)            | _   |
|  |                |     |
| Other Current Assets (1350)  | 0              | 1   |
| Other Noncurrent Assets (1410)                                       | 0              | _ 2 |
| Deferred Tax Regulatory Asset (1437)                                 | 0              | 3   |
| Net Current Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4100)                   | 0              | 4   |
| Net Noncurrent Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4340)                | (748,630)      | 5   |
| Net Deferred Tax Liability Adjustments (4341)                        | 56,157         | 6   |
| Deferred Tax Regulatory Liability (4361)                             | (56,157)       | 7   |
| Net Property Related Deferred Operating Income Taxes                 | (748,630)      |     |
| Less: Allocation to Nonregulated Activity                            |                | 8   |
| Net Regulated Total Property Related Deferred Operating Income Taxes | (748,630)      | _   |
| NONPROPERTY RELATED  |                |     |
| Other Current Assets (1350)  | 0              | 9   |
| Other Noncurrent Assets (1410)                                       | 0              | 10  |
| Deferred Tax Regulatory Asset (1437)                                 | 0              | 11  |
| Net Current Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4100)                   | 0              | 12  |
| Net Noncurrent Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4340)                | 1,442          | 13  |
| Net Deferred Tax Liability Adjustments (4341)                        | 0              | 14  |
| Deferred Tax Regulatory Liability (4361)                             | 0              | 15  |
| Total Nonproperty Related Deferred Operating Income Taxes            | 1,442          |     |

# NET DEFERRED OPERATING INCOME TAXES (ACCT. 1350, 1410, 1437, 4100, 4340, 4341 & 4361) (cont.)

|          | Balance<br>EOY<br>(g) | Adjustments<br>Debit or (Credit)<br>(f) | Current Year<br>Amortization<br>(e) | Current Year<br>Accrual<br>(d) | Acct<br>(c) |
|----------|-----------------------|---|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------|
| 1        | 0                     |   |                                     |                                | 7250        |
| 2        | 0                     |   |                                     |                                | 7250        |
| 3        | 0                     |   |                                     |                                | 7200        |
| 4        | 0                     |   |                                     |                                | 7250        |
| ·<br>5   | (795,222)             |   |                                     | (46,592)                       | 7250        |
| 6        | 49,044                |   |                                     | (7,113)                        |             |
| <b>7</b> | (49,044)              |   |                                     | 7,113                          |             |
|          | (795,222)             | 0                                       | 0                                   | (46,592)                       |             |
| 8        | 0                     |   |                                     |                                |             |
|          | (795,222)             | 0                                       | 0                                   | (46,592)                       |             |
| 9        | 0                     |   |                                     |                                | 7250        |
| 10       | 0                     |   |                                     |                                | 7250        |
| 11       | 0                     |   |                                     |                                |             |
| 12       | 0                     |   |                                     |                                | 7250        |
| 13       | 77,032                |   |                                     | 75,590                         | 7250        |
| 14       | 0                     |   |                                     |                                |             |
| 15       | 0                     |   |                                     |                                |             |
|          | 77,032                | 0                                       | 0                                   | 75,590                         |             |

## **NOTES PAYABLE (ACCT. 4020)**

For affiliate, list note by affiliate. For a particular affiliate, the identical affiliate name, as shown in the Affiliate Abbreviations schedule, should be reported in this schedule. For other, list by note by entity.

|      | Issue |          | Interest | Balance |  |
|------|-------|----------|----------|---------|--|
| Name | Date  | Maturity | Rate     | EOY     |  |
| (a)  | (b)   | (c)      | (d)      | (e)     |  |

#### **NONE**

Total Notes Payable \_\_\_\_\_\_0\_

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#### **LONG-TERM DEBT**

Report data requested and show total for each long-term debt account at end of year. Information concerning the following debt issues may be reported on individual lines in aggregate: REA/RTB 2%, REA/RTB 5%, & REA/RTB 7%. In addition, REA/RTB and FFB debt, respectively, within a range of 200 basis points may also be reported in aggregate on individual lines. If reported in aggregate, a range of dates may be reported in columns (b) and (c) as well as a range of interest rates in column (d) and a composite interest rate in column (e). If aggregation is not utilized, column (e) should contain the same interest rate as reported in column (d). For account 4050 report only the amount of debt anticipated to be repaid in one year or less.

| Description of Debt<br>(a)  | Specific or<br>Range of<br>Stated<br>Dates of<br>Issue<br>(b) | Specific or<br>Range of<br>Stated<br>Dates of<br>Maturity<br>(c) | Specific<br>or<br>Range of<br>Interest<br>Rates<br>(d) |     |
|-----------------------------|---|--|--|-----|
| Funded Debt (Account 4210): |   |  |  |     |
| RTB                         | 05/12/1980  | 05/12/2015   | 8.0000   | _ 1 |
| RUS                         | 02/08/1962-01/21/1971   | 02/08/1997-01/21/2006  | 2.0000   | 2   |
| RUS                         | 12/10/1973-03/09/1994   | 12/10/2008-03/09/2029  | 5.0000   | 3   |
| Total Funded Debt           |   |  |  | _   |

## **LONG-TERM DEBT (cont.)**

|                                      | Held b                                  | y Utility                             |   |                                  |   |                                       |   |
|--------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|---|
| Composite<br>Interest<br>Rate<br>(e) | Reacquired<br>Debt<br>Acct. 4240<br>(f) | Sinking<br>Funds<br>Acct. 1408<br>(g) |   | Total<br>Principal<br>EOY<br>(h) | Current<br>Maturities<br>Included in<br>Acct. 4050<br>(i) | Total<br>Amount<br>Outstanding<br>(j) |   |
| 8.0000                               |   |                                       |   | 400,345                          | 10,416  | 410,761                               | 1 |
| 2.0000                               |   |                                       |   | 232,142                          | 44,787  | 276,929                               | 2 |
| 5.0000                               |   |                                       |   | 2,524,273                        | 83,633  | 2,607,906                             | 3 |
|                                      | 0                                       |                                       | 0 | 3,156,760                        | 138,836   | 3,295,596                             |   |

#### CAPITAL STOCK ACCOUNTS AT END OF YEAR

In column (a) indicate the stated dividend rate applicable to each series of preferred stock.

| Class and Series<br>(a) | Shares Authorized<br>by Charter<br>(b) | Par Value<br>per Share<br>(c) | Call Price<br>End of Year<br>(d) | _ |
|-------------------------|--|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|
| COMMON STOCK:           |  |                               |                                  |   |
|                         | 300                                    | 25.00                         |                                  | 1 |
| TOTAL COMMON STOCK      | 300                                    |                               |                                  |   |
| TOTAL                   | 300                                    |                               |                                  | • |

## **CAPITAL STOCK ACCOUNTS AT END OF YEAR (cont.)**

|               | Acct. 4510 - 0 | Capital Stock | Acct. 4530 - T | Treasury Stock |   |
|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---|
|               | Shares<br>(e)  | Amount<br>(f) | Shares<br>(g)  | Amount<br>(h)  |   |
| COMMON STOCK: |                |               |                |                |   |
|               | 300            | 7,500         |                |                | 1 |
|               | 300            | 7,500         | 0              | 0              |   |
| TOTAL         | 300            | 7,500         | 0              | 0              | _ |

## **RETAINED EARNINGS (ACCT. 4550)**

| Particulars<br>(a)                         | This Year<br>(b) | Last Year<br>(c) |   |
|--|------------------|------------------|---|
| Balance-First of Year                      | 3,276,632        | 3,159,378        | 1 |
| Changes:                                   |                  |                  |   |
| Balance Transferred from Income            | 426,843          | 367,254          | 2 |
| Dividends Declared:                        |                  |                  |   |
| Common                                     | 550,000          | 250,000          | 3 |
| Preferred                                  |                  | 0                | 4 |
| Total Dividends Declared                   | 550,000          | 250,000          |   |
| Miscellaneous Debits to Retained Earnings  |                  | 0                | 5 |
| Miscellaneous Credits to Retained Earnings |                  | 0                | 6 |
| BalanceEnd of Year                         | 3,153,475        | 3,276,632        | _ |

#### **DISTRIBUTION OF TAXES**

- 1. Report hereunder the summary accounts and functions charged with taxes accrued during the year.
- 2. Where allocation is necessary, explain the basis used.
- 3. Report in a footnote the amounts and kind of taxes cleared from prepaid taxes, if any.

| Summary Account/<br>Function<br>Charged<br>(a) | Wisconsin<br>License<br>Fee<br>(b) | Wisconsin<br>Income<br>Tax<br>(c) | Federal<br>Income<br>Tax<br>(d) |     |
|--|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----|
| Operating Taxes (Accts. 7210 - 7250)           | 146,321                            | 53,126                            | 187,772                         | 1   |
| Nonoperating Taxes (Accts. 7410 - 7450)        |                                    | 4,546                             | 16,999                          | 2   |
| Extraordinary Items (Accts. 7630 & 7640)       | 0                                  | 0                                 | 0                               | 3   |
| Nonregulated Net Income (Acct. 7990)           |                                    | (259)                             | (968)                           | 4   |
| Clearing Accounts                              |                                    |                                   |                                 | 5   |
| Construction                                   |                                    |                                   |                                 | 6   |
| Payroll Taxes: FICA                            |                                    |                                   |                                 | _ 7 |
| Payroll Taxes: State Unemployment              |                                    |                                   |                                 | 8   |
| Payroll Taxes: Federal Unemployment            |                                    |                                   |                                 | 9   |
| Other (specify):                               |                                    |                                   |                                 |     |
| TOTAL  | 146,321                            | 57,413                            | 203,803                         |     |

## **DISTRIBUTION OF TAXES (cont.)**

|   | Total<br>(j) | Payroll<br>Taxes<br>(i) | Other<br>Taxes<br>(h) | State &<br>Local Taxes<br>Other than<br>Wisconsin<br>(g) | Local<br>Property<br>Tax<br>(f) | PSC<br>Remainder<br>Assessment<br>(e) |
|---|--------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|--|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
|   | 390,923      |                         |                       |  |                                 | 3,704                                 |
|   | 21,545       |                         |                       |  |                                 |                                       |
|   | 0            | 0                       | 0                     | 0  | 0                               | 0                                     |
|   | (1,227)      |                         |                       |  |                                 |                                       |
|   | 0            |                         |                       |  |                                 |                                       |
|   | 0            |                         |                       |  |                                 |                                       |
|   | 22,952       | 22,952                  |                       |  |                                 |                                       |
|   | 240          | 240                     |                       |  |                                 |                                       |
|   | 600          | 600                     |                       |  |                                 |                                       |
| _ | 435,033      | 23,792                  | 0                     | 0  | 0                               | 3,704                                 |

## REVENUES - CLASS A & B (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY \*)

| Particulars<br>(a)   | This Year<br>(b) | Last Year<br>(c) |              |
|--|------------------|------------------|--------------|
| LOCAL NETWORK SERVICES RE  | VENUES           |                  | _            |
| Basic Local Service Revenue (5000)*  | 540.700          | 404.045          | 1            |
| Basic Area Revenue (5001)  | 518,739          | 484,945          | _ 2          |
| Optional Extended Area Revenue (5002)  |                  | 0                | 3            |
| Cellular Mobile Revenue (5003)   |                  | 0                | _ 4          |
| Other Mobile Services Revenue (5004)   | 4 707            | 0                | 5            |
| Public Telephone Revenue (5010)  | 4,767            | 5,892            | 6            |
| Local Private Line Revenue (5040)  | 2,344            | 1,681            | 7            |
| Customer Premises Revenue (5050)   |                  | 0                | _ 8          |
| Other Local Exchange Revenue (5060)  | 72,610           | 69,250           | 9            |
| Other Local Exchange Revenue Settlements (5069)                                    |                  | 0                | 10           |
| TOTAL BASIC LOCAL SERVICE REVENUE (5000)   | 598,460          | 561,768          | _            |
| NETWORK INTERSTATE ACCESS SE   |                  |                  |              |
| End User Revenue (5081)*   | 164,298          | 151,068          | 11           |
| Switched Access Revenue (5082)*  | 856,159          | 827,412          | 12           |
| Special Access Revenue (5083)*   | 18,706           | 9,735            | 13 F         |
| TOTAL INTERSTATE ACCESS REVENUES (5080)  | 1,039,163        | 988,215          | _            |
| NETWORK INTRASTATE ACCESS SE   | RVICES REV.      | _                |              |
| End User Revenue (5084.1)*   |                  | 0                | 14           |
| Switched Access Revenue (5084.2)*  | 554,168          | 470,169          | 15           |
| Special Access Revenue (5084.3)*   | 43,387           | 34,795           | 16 F         |
| TOTAL INTRASTATE ACCESS REVENUES (5084)  | 597,555          | 504,964          | _            |
| LONG DISTANCE NETWORK SERVICES   | MESSAGE REV.     | _                |              |
| Long Distance Message Revenue (5100)*  |                  | 0                | 17           |
| Long Distance Inward-Only Revenue (5111)   |                  | 0                | 18           |
| Long Distance Outward-Only Revenue (5112)  | _                | 0                | 19           |
| Unidirectional Long Distance Revenue (5110) Long Distance Private Network Revenues | 0                | 0                | 20           |
| Subvoice Grade Revenue (5121)  |                  | 0                | _ 20         |
| Voice Grade Revenue (5122)   |                  | 0                | 21           |
| Audio Program Grade Revenue (5123)   |                  | 0                | _ 22         |
| Video Program Grade Revenue (5124)   |                  | 0                | 23           |
| Digital Transmission Revenue (5125)  |                  | 0                | 24           |
| Switching Revenue (5126)   |                  | 0                | 25           |
| Other Revenue (5128)   |                  | 0                | 26           |
| Other Revenue Settlements (5129)   | _                | 0                | 27           |
| Total Long Distance Private Network Revenue Other Long Distance Revenue (5160)     | 0                | <b>0</b><br>0    | 28           |
| Other Long Distance Revenue Settlements (5169)                                     |                  | 0                | 20<br>29     |
| TOTAL LONG DISTANCE NET. SERVICES MESSAGE REV.                                     | 0                | <b>0</b>         | 23           |
|  |                  |                  | <del>-</del> |

## REVENUES - CLASS A & B (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY \*)

| Particulars<br>(a)                                   | This Year<br>(b) | Last Year<br>(c) |             |
|--|------------------|------------------|-------------|
| MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES                               | }                |                  | <del></del> |
| Directory Revenue (5230)*                            | 111,672          | 107,891          | 30          |
| Rent Revenue (5240)*                                 |                  | 0                | 31          |
| Corporate Operations Revenue (5250)*                 |                  | 0                | 32          |
| Miscellaneous:                                       |                  |                  |             |
| Miscellaneous Revenue (5260)*                        |                  |                  | 33          |
| Special Billing Arrangements Revenue (5261)          | 8,180            | 4,898            | 34          |
| Customer Operations Revenue (5262)                   |                  | 0                | 35          |
| Plant Operations Revenue (5263)                      |                  | 0                | 36          |
| Other Incidental Regulated Revenue (5264)            |                  | 0                | 37          |
| Other Revenue Settlements (5269)                     | 27,478           | 24,708           | 38          |
| Total Miscellaneous Revenue (5260)                   | 35,658           | 29,606           |             |
| Interstate Billing and Collection Revenue*           | 35,688           | 31,513           | 39          |
| Intrastate Billing and Collection Revenue*           | 94,602           | 90,489           | 40          |
| Total Carrier Billing and Collection Revenue (5270)* | 130,290          | 122,002          |             |
| Nonregulated Operating Revenue (5280)**              |                  |                  | 41          |
| TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES                         | 277,620          | 259,499          | _           |
| GROSS OPERATING REVENUES                             | 2,512,798        | 2,314,446        |             |
| UNCOLLECTIBLE REVENUES                               |                  |                  |             |
| Uncollectible Revenue (5300)*                        |                  |                  | 42          |
| Uncollectible RevenueTelecommunications (5301)       | 5,086            | (3,834)          | 43 G        |
| Uncollectible RevenueOther (5302)                    |                  | 0                | 44          |
| TOTAL UNCOLLECTIBLE REVENUE (5300)                   | 5,086            | (3,834)          | _           |
| TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES                             | 2,507,712        | 2,318,280        |             |

 $<sup>^{\</sup>star\star}$  Account 5280 is to be used only by those companies subject to dual jurisdiction.

## **EXPENSE MATRIX - CLASS A & B**

| Particulars<br>(a)                                  | Total<br>Last Year<br>(b) | Total<br>This Year<br>(c) | Salaries /<br>Wages<br>(d) |             |
|---|---------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|
| PLANT SPECIFIC OPERATIONS EXPENSE                   |                           |                           |                            | _           |
| Total Network Support Expense ( 6110 )              | 1,240                     | 1,524                     | 8,128                      | 1           |
| Less: Nonregulated                                  |                           | 0                         |                            | 2           |
| Net Regulated                                       | 1,240                     | 1,524                     | 8,128                      | 3           |
| Total General Support Expense ( 6120 )              | 38,736                    | 56,667                    | 11,378                     | 4           |
| Less: Nonregulated                                  |                           | 0                         |                            | <b>5</b> B  |
| Net Regulated                                       | 38,736                    | 56,667                    | 11,378                     | 6           |
| Total Central Office Switching Expense ( 6210 )     | 72,275                    | 92,252                    | 34,115                     | 7           |
| Less: Nonregulated                                  |                           | 0                         |                            | 8 C         |
| Net Regulated                                       | 72,275                    | 92,252                    | 34,115                     | 9           |
| Total Operator Systems Expense ( 6220 )             |                           | 0                         |                            | 10          |
| Less: Nonregulated                                  |                           | 0                         |                            | 11          |
| Net Regulated                                       | 0                         | 0                         | 0                          | 12          |
| Total Central Office Transmission Expenses ( 6230 ) | 10,125                    | 6,395                     | 1,949                      | 13          |
| Less: Nonregulated                                  |                           | 0                         |                            | 14          |
| Net Regulated                                       | 10,125                    | 6,395                     | 1,949                      | _15         |
| Total Information Orig. / Term. Expense ( 6310 )    | 2,622                     | 3,273                     | 1,552                      | 16          |
| Less: Nonregulated                                  |                           | 0                         |                            | 17          |
| Net Regulated                                       | 2,622                     | 3,273                     | 1,552                      | 18          |
| Total Cable and Wire Fac. Expense ( 6410 )          | 107,456                   | 112,042                   | 45,582                     | 19          |
| Less: Nonregulated                                  |                           | 0                         |                            | 20          |
| Net Regulated                                       | 107,456                   | 112,042                   | 45,582                     | 21          |
| TOTAL PLANT SPECIFIC OPERATIONS EXPENSE             | 232,454                   | 272,153                   | 102,704                    |             |
| Less: Nonregulated                                  | 0                         | 0                         | 0                          |             |
| Net Regulated                                       | 232,454                   | 272,153                   | 102,704                    | _           |
| PLANT NONSPECIFIC OPERATIONS EXPENSE                |                           |                           |                            |             |
| Total Other Property, Plant and Equip. Exp. (6510)  |                           | 0                         |                            | 22          |
| Less: Nonregulated                                  | _                         | 0                         | _                          | 23          |
| Net Regulated                                       | 0                         | 0                         | 0                          | _24         |
| Total Network Operations Expense ( 6530 )           | 122,864                   | 67,109                    | 10,076                     | 25          |
| Less: Nonregulated                                  |                           | 0                         |                            | <b>26</b> D |
| Net Regulated                                       | 122,864                   | 67,109                    | 10,076                     | _27         |
| Access Expense (6540)                               |                           | 0                         |                            | 28          |
| Less: Nonregulated                                  | _                         | 0                         | _                          | 29          |
| Net Regulated                                       | 0                         | 0                         | 0                          | _30         |
| Total Depreciation and Amortization Expense (6560)  | 622,188                   | 631,843                   |                            | 31          |
| Less: Nonregulated                                  | 000 100                   | 0                         |                            | 32          |
| Net Regulated                                       | 622,188                   | 631,843                   |                            | _33         |
| TOTAL PLANT NONSPECIFIC OPERATIONS EXP.             | 745,052                   | 698,952                   | 10,076                     |             |
| Less: Nonregulated                                  | 745.050                   | 0                         | 0                          |             |
| Net Regulated                                       | 745,052                   | 698,952                   | 10,076                     | _           |

## **EXPENSE MATRIX - CLASS A & B (cont.)**

| Account<br>(e) | Benefits<br>(f) | Rents<br>(g) | Other<br>(h)       | Clearances<br>to (from)<br>(i) |                |
|----------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|----------------|
| 6110           |                 |              | 29,087             | (35,691)                       |                |
|                | 0               | 0            | 29,087             | (35,691)                       | ;              |
| 6120           | 4,473           |              | 40,816             |                                |                |
|                | 4,473           | 0            | 40,816             | 0                              | !              |
| 6210           | 13,091          |              | 45,046             |                                |                |
|                | 13,091          | 0            | 45,046             | 0                              |                |
| 6220           |                 |              |                    |                                | 1:<br>1:       |
|                | 0               | 0            | 0                  | 0                              | 1:             |
| 6230           | 719             |              | 3,727              |                                | 1:<br>1:       |
|                | 719             | 0            | 3,727              | 0                              | 1:             |
| 6310           | 601             |              | 1,120              |                                | 1 <sup>1</sup> |
|                | 601             | 0            | 1,120              | 0                              | 1              |
| 6410           | 17,645          | 16,504       | 32,311             |                                | 1              |
|                |                 |              |                    |                                | 2              |
|                | 17,645          | 16,504       | 32,311             | 0                              | 2              |
|                | 36,529          | 16,504       | 152,107            | (35,691)                       |                |
|                | 0<br>36,529     | 0<br>16,504  | 0<br>152,107       | 0<br>(35,691)                  |                |
| 6510           |                 |              |                    |                                | 2:             |
|                | 0               |              | 0                  | 0                              | 2:             |
| 6530           | 18,719          |              | <b>0</b><br>38,314 | U                              | 2              |
| 0330           | 10,719          |              | 30,314             |                                | 2              |
|                | 18,719          | 0            | 38,314             | 0                              | 2              |
| 6540           |                 |              |                    |                                | 2              |
|                | •               | •            | •                  | ^                              | 29             |
| 6560           | 0               | 0            | <b>0</b> 631,843   | 0                              | 3·             |
| 0300           |                 |              | 001,040            |                                | 3              |
| i              |                 |              | 631,843            |                                | 3:             |
|                | 18,719          | 0            | 670,157            | 0                              |                |
|                | 0               | 0            | 0                  | 0                              |                |
|                | 18,719          | 0            | 670,157            | 0                              |                |

## **EXPENSE MATRIX - CLASS A & B**

| Particulars<br>(a)                               | Total<br>Last Year<br>(b) | Total<br>This Year<br>(c) | Salaries /<br>Wages<br>(d) |      |
|--|---------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|------|
| CUSTOMER OPERATIONS EXPENSE                      |                           |                           |                            | -    |
| Total Marketing ( 6610 )                         | 2,056                     | 20,020                    | 2,492                      | 34   |
| Less: Nonregulated                               |                           | 0                         |                            | 35 E |
| Net Regulated                                    | 2,056                     | 20,020                    | 2,492                      | 36   |
| Total Services ( 6620 )                          | 285,040                   | 315,378                   | 84,416                     | 37   |
| Less: Nonregulated                               |                           | 0                         |                            | 38   |
| Net Regulated                                    | 285,040                   | 315,378                   | 84,416                     | 39   |
| TOTAL CUSTOMER OPERATIONS EXPENSE                | 287,096                   | 335,398                   | 86,908                     | _    |
| Less: Nonregulated                               | 0                         | 0                         | 0                          |      |
| Net Regulated                                    | 287,096                   | 335,398                   | 86,908                     |      |
| CORPORATE OPERATIONS EXPENSE                     |                           |                           |                            | -    |
| Total Exec. and Planning (6710)                  | 76,158                    | 89,218                    | 19,450                     | 40   |
| Less: Nonregulated                               |                           | 0                         |                            | 41   |
| Net Regulated                                    | 76,158                    | 89,218                    | 19,450                     | 42   |
| Total General and Administrative (6720)          | 128,849                   | 153,461                   | 16,612                     | 43   |
| Less: Nonregulated                               |                           | 0                         |                            | 44   |
| Net Regulated                                    | 128,849                   | 153,461                   | 16,612                     | 45   |
| Provision for Uncollectible Notes Receiv. (6790) |                           | 0                         |                            | 46   |
| Less: Nonregulated                               |                           | 0                         |                            | 47   |
| Net Regulated                                    | 0                         | 0                         |                            | 48   |
| TOTAL CORPORATE OPERATIONS EXPENSE               | 205,007                   | 242,679                   | 36,062                     | _    |
| Less: Nonregulated                               | 0                         | 0                         | 0                          |      |
| Net Regulated                                    | 205,007                   | 242,679                   | 36,062                     |      |
| TOTAL EXPENSES                                   | 1,469,609                 | 1,549,182                 | 235,750                    | _    |
| Less: Nonregulated                               | 0                         | 0                         | 0                          |      |
| Net Regulated                                    | 1,469,609                 | 1,549,182                 | 235,750                    |      |

## **EXPENSE MATRIX - CLASS A & B (cont.)**

|          | Clearances<br>to (from)<br>(i) | Other<br>(h) | Rents<br>(g) | Benefits<br>(f) | Account<br>(e) |
|----------|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|
| 34       |                                | 14,260       |              | 3,268           | 6610           |
| 35       | _                              |              | _            |                 |                |
| 36       | 0                              | 14,260       | 0            | 3,268           |                |
| 37<br>38 |                                | 196,824      |              | 34,138          | 6620           |
| 39       | 0                              | 196,824      |              | 34,138          |                |
|          | 0                              | 211,084      | 0            | 37,406          |                |
|          | 0                              | 0            | 0            | 0               |                |
|          | 0                              | 211,084      | 0            | 37,406          |                |
| 40       |                                | 55,647       |              | 14,121          | 6710           |
| 41       |                                |              |              |                 |                |
| 42       | 0                              | 55,647       |              | 14,121          |                |
| 43<br>44 |                                | 120,719      |              | 16,130          | 6720           |
| 45       | 0                              | 120,719      |              | 16,130          |                |
| 46       |                                |              |              |                 | 6790           |
| 47       |                                | Ī            |              |                 | i i            |
| 48       |                                | 0            |              |                 |                |
|          | 0                              | 176,366      | 0            | 30,251          |                |
|          | 0                              | 0            | 0            | 0               |                |
|          | 0                              | 176,366      | 0            | 30,251          |                |
|          | (35,691)                       | 1,209,714    | 16,504       | 122,905         |                |
|          | 0                              | 0            | 0            | 0               |                |
|          | (35,691)                       | 1,209,714    | 16,504       | 122,905         |                |

## **EXPENSE MATRIX - CLASS A & B ( DETAIL )**

| Particulars<br>(a)                                     | Total<br>Last Year<br>(b) | Total<br>This Year<br>(c) | Salaries/<br>Wages<br>(d) |        |
|--|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|--------|
| Property Held for Future Tele. Use Exp. (6511)         |                           | 0                         |                           | _<br>1 |
| Provisioning Expense (6512)                            |                           | 0                         |                           | 2      |
| Total: Reported in Account 6510                        | 0                         | 0                         | 0                         |        |
| Depreciat. ExpTele. Plant in Service ( 6561 )          | 622,188                   | 631,843                   |                           | 3      |
| Depreciat. ExpProp. Held for Future Tele. Use ( 6562 ) |                           | 0                         |                           | 4      |
| Amortization ExpenseTangible ( 6563 )                  |                           | 0                         |                           | 5      |
| Amortization ExpenseIntangible ( 6564 )                |                           | 0                         |                           | 6      |
| Amortization ExpenseOther ( 6565 )                     |                           | 0                         |                           | 7      |
| Total: Reported in Account 6560                        | 622,188                   | 631,843                   |                           | _      |

## **EXPENSE MATRIX - CLASS A & B ( DETAIL ) (cont.)**

|   | Clearances<br>to (from)<br>(i) | Other<br>(h) | Rents<br>(g) | Benefits<br>(f) | Account<br>(e) |
|---|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|
| 1 |                                |              |              |                 | 6511           |
| 2 |                                |              |              |                 | 6512           |
|   | 0                              | 0            |              | 0               |                |
| 3 |                                | 631,843      |              |                 | 6561           |
| 4 |                                |              |              |                 | 6562           |
| 5 |                                |              |              |                 | 6563           |
| 6 |                                |              |              |                 | 6564           |
| 7 |                                |              |              |                 | 6565           |
|   |                                | 631,843      |              |                 |                |

#### **OUT-OF-STATE OPERATING REVENUES**

- 1. This schedule is to be completed only by those companies having out-of-state revenues. For the purpose of completing this schedule, and for PSCW use in calculating Wisconsin remainder assessment revenues, out-of-state revenues are specifically defined in headnote 2.
- 2. Out-of-state revenues are those derived exclusively from communications physically originating outside of Wisconsin. Out-of-state revenues do not include a) access revenues from "inbound" communications originating outside the state, or b) revenues from communications originating in Wisconsin and terminating outside the state, or c) revenues allocable to Wisconsin-based facilities used for communications originating and terminating outside of the state.

| Description  | This Year |
|--|-----------|
| (a)  | (b)       |
| Out-of-state operating revenues  | 1         |
| Less: current year write-offs of uncollectible accounts - out-of-state utility customers only  | 2         |
| Plus: current year collection of out-of-state utility customer accounts previously written off | 3         |
| Net out-of-state operating revenues  | 0         |

## OTHER INCOME ACCOUNTS (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY \*)

| Particulars<br>(a)  | This Year<br>(b) | Last Year<br>(c) | •      |
|---|------------------|------------------|--------|
| OTHER OPERATING INCOME AND EXPENSE  |                  |                  | -      |
| Income from Custom Work (7110)*   |                  | 0                | 1      |
| Return from Nonregulated Use of Regulated Facilities (7130)*              |                  | 0                | 2      |
| Gains and (Losses) from Foreign Exchange (7140)                           |                  | 0                | _<br>3 |
| Gains or (Losses) from the Disposition of Land and Artworks (7150)        |                  | 0                | _ 4    |
| Other Operating Gains and (Losses) (7160)*                                |                  | 0                | _<br>5 |
| TOTAL OTHER OPERATING INCOME AND (EXPENSE) (7100)*                        | 0                | 0                | _      |
| OPERATING TAXES   |                  |                  |        |
| Operating Investment Tax CreditsNet (7210)*                               | (10,893)         | (12,877)         | _ 6    |
| Operating Federal Income Taxes (7220)*                                    | 161,830          | 134,253          | 7      |
| Operating State and Local Income Taxes (7230)*                            | 43,369           | 28,502           | _ 8    |
| Operating Other Taxes (7240)*   | 150,025          | 136,700          | 9      |
| Provision for Deferred Operating Income TaxesNet (7250)*                  | 46,592           | 21,933           | _ 10   |
| TOTAL OPERATING TAXES (7200)*   | 390,923          | 308,511          | _      |
| NONOPERATING INCOME AND EXPENSE   |                  |                  |        |
| Dividend Income (7310)*   |                  | 0                | 11     |
| Interest Income (7320)*   | 14,829           | 12,446           | _ 12   |
| Income from Sinking and Other Funds (7330)*                               |                  | 0                | 13     |
| Allowance for Funds Used During Construction (7340)*                      | 3,009            | 0                | _ 14   |
| Gains or (Losses) from the Disposition of Certain Property (7350)*        |                  | 0                |        |
| Other Nonoperating Income (7360)*   | 40,000           |                  | _ 16   |
| Special Charges (7370)*   | 3,294            | 3,745            |        |
| TOTAL NONOPERATING INCOME AND EXPENSE (7300)*                             | 54,544           | 8,701            | _      |
| NONOPERATING TAXES  |                  |                  |        |
| Nonoperating Investment Tax CreditsNet (7410)*                            |                  | 0                | _      |
| Nonoperating Federal Income Taxes (7420)*                                 | 76,640           | 48,434           |        |
| Nonoperating State and Local Income Taxes (7430)*                         | 20,495           | 16,758           | _ 20   |
| Nonoperating Other Taxes (7440)*  |                  | 0                |        |
| Provision for Deferred Nonoperating Income Taxes-Net (7450)*              | (75,590)         | (59,453)         |        |
| TOTAL NONOPERATING TAXES (7400)*  | 21,545           | 5,739            | _      |
| INTEREST AND RELATED ITEMS  |                  |                  |        |
| Interest on Funded Debt (7510)*   | 171,615          | 177,195          | 23     |
| Interest ExpenseCapital Leases (7520)*                                    |                  | 0                | _ 24   |
| Amortization of Debt Issuance Expense (7530)*                             | 269              | 269              |        |
| Other Interest Deductions (7540)*   |                  | 6,789            |        |
| TOTAL INTEREST AND RELATED ITEMS (7500)*                                  | 171,884          | 184,253          | -      |
| EXTRAORDINARY ITEMS   |                  |                  |        |
| Extraordinary Items (7600)*   |                  | 0                |        |
| Extraordinary Income Credits (7610)                                       |                  | 0                | _      |
| Extraordinary Income Charges (7620)                                       |                  |                  | 29     |
| Current Income Tax Effect of Extraordinary ItemsNet (7630)                | 0                |                  | _ 30   |
| Provision for Deferred Income Tax Effect of Extraordinary ItemsNet (7640) | 0                | 0                | 31     |
| TOTAL EXTRAORDINARY ITEMS (7600)*   | 0                | 0                |        |
| NONREGULATED NET INCOME   |                  |                  | -      |
| Nonregulated Net Income (7990)*   | (1,879)          | 3,445            | 32     |
|   |                  |                  | _      |

## **NONREGULATED NET INCOME (ACCT. 7990)**

| Particulars<br>(a)       | Amount (b) |        |
|--------------------------|------------|--------|
| Revenues (Acct. 7990.1)  |            | _      |
| Gross Sales              | 45,069     | 1      |
| Less: Cost of Goods Sold | 18,727     | 2      |
| Net Sales                | 26,342     | 3      |
| Expenses (Acct. 7990.2)  | 28,221     | 4      |
| Nonregulated Net Income  | (1,879)    | _<br>5 |

List the type of nonregulated activities that company is involved in:

SALES AND MAINTENANCE OF CUSTOMER PREMISE EQUIPMENT (CPE) AND INSIDE WIRING AND CELLULAR TELEPHONE ACTIVITY.

If the revenues from an individual nonregulated activity represent in excess of 5% of the total operating revenues for the company, please provide the amounts, as requested above, for that individual activity:

## **DISTRIBUTION OF SALARIES AND WAGES**

| Description (a)                   | Amount<br>(b) |   |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|---|
| Regulated Expense                 | 235,750       | 1 |
| Nonregulated Expense              | 11,850        | 2 |
| Plant Accounts                    | 50,443        | 3 |
| Accumulated Depreciation Accounts | 794           | 4 |
| All Other Accounts                | 845           | 5 |
| Total Salaries and Wages          | 299,682       | 6 |

## **EMPLOYEE DATA**

Compensation includes wages, commissions, bonuses and any other cash allowances paid to employees.

|                                  | Number of Eq<br>Full-Time Em |            |                              |   |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------|------------|------------------------------|---|
| Employee<br>Category<br>(a)      | FOY<br>(b)                   | EOY<br>(c) | Total<br>Compensation<br>(d) |   |
| Officers                         |                              |            |                              | 1 |
| Supervision and Other Management | 1.00                         | 1.00       | 48,500                       | 2 |
| Other Employees                  | 9.00                         | 9.00       | 251,182                      | 3 |
| Total                            | 10.00                        | 10.00      | 299,682                      |   |

## **EMPLOYEE DATA**

Compensation includes wages, commissions, bonuses and any other cash allowances paid to employees.

**Number of Equivalent Full-Time Employees Employee Total** Category **FOY EOY** Compensation (d) (a) (b) (c) Officers 1 Supervision and Other Management 1.00 1.00 2 48,500 9.00 Other Employees 9.00 251,182 3 Total 10.00 10.00 299,682

TELEPHONE CALLS AND MINUTES OF USE PER MONTH

Enter average number, in thousands, of calls and minutes of use per month. The averages may be based on actual counts taken periodically during the year. Please provide level of detail available.

| Item<br>(a)                      | Telephone Calls<br>(000's)<br>(b) | Minutes of Use<br>(000's)<br>(c) |     |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----|
| LOCAL                            |                                   |                                  | _   |
| Intra-Exchange                   | 414                               |                                  | _ 1 |
| Extended Area Service            | 18                                |                                  | 2   |
| Extended Community Calling       | 18                                | 73                               | 3   |
| Other Local-Undefined            |                                   |                                  | 4   |
| Total Local                      | 450                               | 73                               | _   |
| TOLL                             |                                   |                                  | _   |
| Operator Handled: StateintraLATA | 6                                 | 10                               | _ 5 |
| Operator Handled: StateinterLATA | 2                                 | 4                                | _ 6 |
| Operator Handled: Interstate     | 2                                 | 7                                | 7   |
| Customer Dialed: StateintraLATA  | 39                                | 310                              | 8   |
| Customer Dialed: StateinterLATA  | 45                                | 336                              | 9   |
| Customer Dialed: Interstate      | 28                                | 370                              | 10  |
| WATS                             | 0                                 |                                  | 11  |
| Other Toll-Undefined             | 0                                 |                                  | 12  |
| Total Toll                       | 122                               | 1,037                            | _   |
| Total Local & Toll               | 572                               | 1,110                            | _   |

## **ACCESS USAGE**

Enter number, in thousands, of Billed Minutes.

|                       | Billed Minutes (000's)         |                                |                                |                                |     |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----|
| Description<br>(a)    | Interstate<br>InterLATA<br>(b) | Intrastate<br>InterLATA<br>(c) | Intrastate<br>IntraLATA<br>(d) | Interstate<br>IntraLATA<br>(e) |     |
| Feature Group A Orig. | 0                              | 0                              | 0                              | 0                              | 1   |
| Feature Group A Term. | 0                              | 0                              | 0                              | 0                              | 2   |
| Feature Group B Orig. | 0                              | 0                              | 0                              | 0                              | 3   |
| Feature Group B Term. | 0                              | 0                              | 0                              | 0                              | _ 4 |
| Feature Group C Orig. | 0                              | 0                              | 2,102                          | 0                              | 5   |
| Feature Group C Term. | 0                              | 0                              | 1,735                          | 0                              | 6   |
| Feature Group D Orig. | 1,984                          | 2,146                          | 0                              | 0                              | 7   |
| Feature Group D Term. | 2,547                          | 1,940                          | 0                              | 0                              | 8   |

#### **OUTSIDE PLANT STATISTICS AT END OF YEAR**

| Description of Item (a)              | Amount<br>(b) |   |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|---|
| Sheath miles of plant - aerial       |               | 1 |
| Sheath miles of plant - buried       | 585           | 2 |
| Sheath miles of plant - fiber optics | 31            | 3 |
| Strand miles of plant - fiber optics | 489           | 4 |
| Route miles of plant - microwave     |               | 5 |

#### SPECIAL ACCESS CIRCUITS IN USE AT END OF YEAR

| Circuit Type<br>(a) | InterLATA<br>Chan. Terms.<br>(b) | IntraLATA<br>Chan. Terms.<br>(c) |    |
|---------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|----|
| Voice grade         | 0                                | 29                               | 1  |
| 56 kbps             | 0                                | 13                               | 2  |
| 64 kbps (DS0)       | 0                                | 0                                | 3  |
| 1.54 Mbps (DS-1)    | 0                                | 0                                | 4  |
| 45 Mbps (DS-3)      | 0                                | 0                                | 5  |
| SONET OC-1          | 0                                | 0                                | 6  |
| SONET OC-3          | 0                                | 0                                | 7  |
| SONET OC-12         | 0                                | 0                                | 8  |
| SONET OC-48         | 0                                | 0                                | 9  |
| SONET OC-192        | 0                                | 0                                | 10 |

#### **OUTSIDE PLANT STATISTICS AT END OF YEAR**

|                                      | Description of Item (a) | Amount<br>(b) |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|
| Sheath miles of plant - aerial       |                         | 1             |
| Sheath miles of plant - buried       |                         | 585 <b>2</b>  |
| Sheath miles of plant - fiber optic  | s                       | 31 <b>3</b>   |
| Strand miles of plant - fiber optics | 8                       | 489 4         |
| Route miles of plant - microwave     |                         | 5             |

#### SPECIAL ACCESS CIRCUITS IN USE AT END OF YEAR

| Circuit Type<br>(a) | InterLATA<br>Chan. Terms.<br>(b) | IntraLATA<br>Chan. Terms.<br>(c) |    |
|---------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|----|
| Voice grade         | 0                                | 29                               | 1  |
| 56 kbps             | 0                                | 13                               | 2  |
| 64 kbps (DS0)       | 0                                | 0                                | 3  |
| 1.54 Mbps (DS-1)    | 0                                | 0                                | 4  |
| 45 Mbps (DS-3)      | 0                                | 0                                | 5  |
| SONET OC-1          | 0                                | 0                                | 6  |
| SONET OC-3          | 0                                | 0                                | 7  |
| SONET OC-12         | 0                                | 0                                | 8  |
| SONET OC-48         | 0                                | 0                                | 9  |
| SONET OC-192        | 0                                | 0 1                              | 10 |

#### **SERVICE DATA**

Access Line--Central office line equipment, or equivalent, and all outside plant facilities, or equivalent, required to connect the serving central office with the customer premises via physical connection, frequency, and/or time slot. From an engineering perspective, a channel connection is at a DS0 level. A DS0 level is a 4 KHz voice or 64 Kilobits/second. Customer--A person who uses a telephone as a subscriber.

| ltem<br>(a)                        | FOY<br>(b) | EOY<br>(c) |
|------------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Business                           |            |            |
| 1 Party                            | 384        | 379        |
| 2 Party                            | 0          |            |
| 4 Party                            | 0          |            |
| PBX Trunks/System Trunks           | 3          | 3          |
| Centrex Trunks                     | 0          |            |
| Centrex Lines                      | 287        | 381        |
| Key System Trunks                  | 156        | 142        |
| Mobile (Utility Provided Service)  | 8          | 8          |
| Paging (Utility Provided Service)  | 18         | 53         |
| FX-Out (Switched)                  | 2          | 2          |
| Pay Telephone                      |            |            |
| Coin-Operated Pay Telephone        |            |            |
| Independent Pay Telephone Provider |            |            |
| Pay Stations - Public              | 19         | 21         |
| - Semi-Public                      | 2          | 2          |
| - Cust. Owned                      | 9          | 13         |
| Other                              | 0          |            |
| Total Business Lines               | 888        | 1,004      |
| Residential (Incl. Emp. Concess.)  |            |            |
| 1 Party                            | 2,421      | 2,447      |
| 2 Party                            | 0          |            |
| 4 Party                            | 0          |            |
| FX-Out (Switched)                  | 0          |            |
| Other                              | 0          |            |
| Total Residential Lines            | 2,421      | 2,447      |
| Total Bus & Res Lines              | 3,309      | 3,451      |
| Company Used Lines                 | 60         | 63         |
| Total Lines Used                   | 3,369      | 3,514      |

## **SERVICE DATA (cont.)**

Access Line--Central office line equipment, or equivalent, and all outside plant facilities, or equivalent, required to connect the serving central office with the customer premises via physical connection, frequency, and/or time slot. From an engineering perspective, a channel connection is at a DS0 level. A DS0 level is a 4 KHz voice or 64 Kilobits/second. Customer--A person who uses a telephone as a subscriber.

| Item<br>(a)  | FOY<br>(b) | EOY<br>(c) |
|--|------------|------------|
| Miscellaneous  |            |            |
| WATS Lines - OutWATS   | 0          |            |
| WATS Lines - 800 Service   | 0          |            |
| FX-In-intraLATA  | 4          | 4          |
| Special Access-intraLATA   |            |            |
| (expressed in equiv. access lines)   | 0          | 42         |
| Special Access-interLATA   |            |            |
| (expressed in equiv. access lines)   | 1          | 0          |
| Feature Group A Lines  | 0          |            |
| Feature Group B Trunks   | 0          |            |
| Feature Group C Trunks   | 0          |            |
| Feature Group D Trunks   | 82         | 82         |
| TSPS - Trunks  | 13         | 13         |
| EAS - Trunks   | 15         | 15         |
| Cellular Trunks (Pub. Sw. Net.)  | 0          |            |
| Video Distance Learning  |            | _          |
| - discounted (special tariff)  | 0          |            |
| Customers  |            | _          |
| Business - 2 Party Customers   | 0          |            |
| Business - 4 Party Customers   | 0          |            |
| Residential - 2 Party Customers  | 0          |            |
| Residential - 4 Party Customers  | 0          |            |
| Other  |            |            |
| Total Central Office, Info. Orig./Term., & Cable Wire Fac. Assets (based on physical |            |            |
| location of plant)   | 8,629,078  | 8,878,175  |
| Total Company Square Miles   | 311        | 311        |
| Total Company Route Miles  | 545        | 432        |
| Footnotes  |            |            |

#### **SERVICE DATA - END OF YEAR**

Access Line--Central office line equipment, or equivalent, and all outside plant facilities, or equivalent, required to connect the serving central office with the customer premises via physical connection, frequency, and/or time slot. From an engineering perspective, a channel connection is at a DS0 level. A DS0 level is a 4 KHz voice or 64 Kilobits/second. Customer--A person who uses a telephone as a subscriber.

| ltem<br>(a)                        | Exchange<br>(b) | Exchange<br>(c) | Exchange<br>(d) | Exchange<br>(e) |  |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|
| PSCW Exchange ID                   | 0180            | 1290            |                 |                 |  |
| Business                           |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| 1 Party                            | 48              | 331             |                 |                 |  |
| 2 Party                            |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| 4 Party                            |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| PBX Trunks/System Trunks           |                 | 3               |                 |                 |  |
| Centrex Trunks                     |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| Centrex Lines                      |                 | 381             |                 |                 |  |
| Key System Trunks                  |                 | 142             |                 |                 |  |
| Mobile (utility provided service)  |                 | 8               |                 |                 |  |
| Paging (utility provided service)  |                 | 53              |                 |                 |  |
| FX-Out (Switched)                  |                 | 2               |                 |                 |  |
| Pay Telephone                      |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| Coin-Operated Pay Telephone        |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| Independent Pay Telephone Provider |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| Pay Stations - Public              | 3               | 18              |                 |                 |  |
| - Semi-Public                      |                 | 2               |                 |                 |  |
| - Cust. Owned                      |                 | 13              |                 |                 |  |
| Other                              |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| Total Business Lines               | 51              | 953             | 0               | 0               |  |
| Residential (Incl. Emp. Concess.)  |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| 1 Party                            | 455             | 1,992           |                 |                 |  |
| 2 Party                            |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| 4 Party                            |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| FX-Out (Switched)                  |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| Other                              |                 |                 |                 |                 |  |
| Total Residential Lines            | 455             | 1,992           | 0               | 0               |  |
| Total Bus & Res Lines              | 506             | 2,945           | 0               | 0               |  |
| Company Used Lines                 | 4               | 59              |                 |                 |  |
| Total Lines Used                   | 510             | 3,004           | 0               | 0               |  |

## **SERVICE DATA - END OF YEAR (cont.)**

Access Line--Central office line equipment, or equivalent, and all outside plant facilities, or equivalent, required to connect the serving central office with the customer premises via physical connection, frequency, and/or time slot. From an engineering perspective, a channel connection is at a DS0 level. A DS0 level is a 4 KHz voice or 64 Kilobits/second. Customer--A person who uses a telephone as a subscriber.

| ltem<br>(a)                               | Exchange<br>(b) | Exchange<br>(c) | Exchange (d) | Exchange<br>(e) |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|
| PSCW Exchange ID                          | 0180            | 1290            |              |                 |
| Miscellaneous                             |                 |                 |              |                 |
| WATS Lines - OutWATS                      |                 |                 |              |                 |
| WATS Lines - 800 Service                  |                 |                 |              |                 |
| FX-In-intraLATA                           |                 | 4               |              |                 |
| Special Access-intraLATA                  |                 |                 |              | _               |
| (equiv. access lines)                     | 1               | 41              |              |                 |
| Special Access-interLATA                  |                 |                 |              |                 |
| (equiv. access lines)                     | 0               | 0               |              |                 |
| Feature Group A Lines                     |                 |                 |              |                 |
| Feature Group B Trunks                    |                 |                 |              |                 |
| Feature Group C Trunks                    |                 |                 |              |                 |
| Feature Group D Trunks                    |                 | 82              |              |                 |
| TSPS - Trunks                             |                 | 13              |              |                 |
| EAS - Trunks                              |                 | 15              |              |                 |
| Cellular Trunks (Pub. Sw. Net.)           |                 |                 |              |                 |
| Video Distance Learning                   |                 |                 |              |                 |
| - discounted (special tariff)             |                 |                 |              |                 |
| Customers                                 |                 |                 |              |                 |
| Business - 2 Party Customers              |                 |                 |              |                 |
| Business - 4 Party Customers              |                 |                 |              |                 |
| Residential - 2 Party Customers           |                 |                 |              |                 |
| Residential - 4 Party Customers           |                 |                 |              |                 |
| Other                                     |                 |                 |              |                 |
| Exchange C.O., Info. Orig./Term., & Cable |                 |                 |              |                 |
| Wire Fac. Assets (based on physical       |                 |                 |              |                 |
| location of plant)                        | 1,463,939       | 7,414,236       |              |                 |
| Exchange Square Miles                     | 141             | 170             |              |                 |
| Exchange Route Miles                      | 89              | 343             |              |                 |
| Footnotes                                 |                 |                 |              |                 |

#### **MANUFACTURER ABBREVIATIONS**

Use these abbreviations when completing the central office data schedule.

|                   | Manufacturer Name (a) | Abbreviation<br>(b) |   |
|-------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|---|
| Alcatel           |                       | AL                  | 1 |
| ATTC              |                       | ATT                 | 2 |
| GTE               |                       | GTE                 | 3 |
| ITT               |                       | ITT                 | 4 |
| Nippon Electric   |                       | NEC                 | 5 |
| Northern Telecom  |                       | NTI                 | 6 |
| Siemens           |                       | SI                  | 7 |
| Stromberg-Carlson |                       | SC                  | 8 |
| VIDAR             |                       | VI                  | 9 |

#### **EQUIPMENT ABBREVIATIONS**

Use these abbreviations when completing the central office data schedule.

|                   | Equipment Type<br>(a) | Abbreviation<br>(b) |   |
|-------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|---|
| Electromechanical |                       | EM                  | 1 |
| ElectronicAnalog  |                       | Α                   | 2 |
| ElectronicDigital |                       | D                   | 3 |
| ElectronicVideo   |                       | V                   | 4 |

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|-------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---|
| Alcatel           |                          | AL                  | 1 |
| ATTC              |                          | ATT                 | 2 |
| GTE               |                          | GTE                 | 3 |
| ITT               |                          | ITT                 | 4 |
| Nippon Electric   |                          | NEC                 | 5 |
| Northern Telecom  |                          | NTI                 | 6 |
| Siemens           |                          | SI                  | 7 |
| Stromberg-Carlson |                          | SC                  | 8 |
| VIDAR             |                          | VI                  | 9 |

#### **EQUIPMENT ABBREVIATIONS**

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|                   | Equipment Type<br>(a) | Abbreviation<br>(b) |   |
|-------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|---|
| Electromechanical |                       | EM                  | 1 |
| ElectronicAnalog  |                       | Α                   | 2 |
| ElectronicDigital |                       | D                   | 3 |
| ElectronicVideo   |                       | V                   | 4 |

#### **CENTRAL OFFICE DATA - END OF YEAR**

When an exchange has more than one central office, data must be reported for each central office.

| Description<br>(a)                             | Central Off.<br>(b) | Central Off.<br>(c) | Central Off.<br>(d) | Central Off.<br>(e) |
|--|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Exchange Name                                  | ARGONNE             | CRANDON             |                     |                     |
| PSCW Exchange ID                               | 0180                | 1290                |                     |                     |
| Central Office Name                            | ARGONNE             | CRANDON             |                     |                     |
| PSCW Central Office ID                         | 1                   | 1                   |                     |                     |
| Manufacturer of COE (Page 54)                  | NTI                 | NTI                 |                     |                     |
| Year COE Installed                             | 1985                | 1985                |                     |                     |
| Гуре of Equipment (Page 54)                    | D                   | D                   |                     |                     |
| (S)tandalone, (H)ost, (R)emote                 | R                   | Н                   |                     |                     |
| Remote Host PSCW Exchange ID                   | 1290                |                     |                     |                     |
| Remote Host PSCW Central Office ID             | 1230                | 0                   |                     |                     |
| COE Generic Software Release No.               | 408.10              | 408.10              |                     |                     |
| SS7?   | Yes                 | Yes                 |                     |                     |
| 9-1-1?   | No                  | No                  |                     |                     |
| Access Lines - In Use                          | 510                 |                     |                     |                     |
|  |                     | 3,004               |                     |                     |
| - Equipped                                     | 758                 | 4,428               |                     |                     |
| - Wired  | 908                 | 4,696               |                     |                     |
| Frunks - In Use                                | 0                   | 110                 |                     |                     |
| - Equipped                                     | 0                   | 120                 |                     |                     |
| - Wired  | 0                   | 120                 |                     |                     |
| SDN Available?                                 | No                  | No                  |                     |                     |
| SDN Lines - In Use (BRI)                       | 0                   | 0                   |                     |                     |
| - In Use (PRI)                                 | 0                   | 0                   |                     |                     |
| Switched 56 Service?                           | No                  | No                  |                     |                     |
| Switched 56 lines in use                       | 0                   | 0                   |                     |                     |
| Digital Transmission Facilities: DS-1 - In Use | 0                   | 1                   |                     |                     |
| DS-3 - In Use                                  | 0                   | 0                   |                     |                     |
| dvanced Data Service Available:                |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| Packet Switching?                              | No                  | No                  |                     |                     |
| SMDS?  | No                  | No                  |                     |                     |
| Frame Relay?                                   | No                  | No                  |                     |                     |
| ATM (Asynchronous Trans. Mode)?                | No                  | No                  |                     |                     |
| /ideo Information - Service Available?         | No                  | No                  |                     |                     |
| - In Use (# lines) <sup>1</sup>                | 0                   | 0                   |                     |                     |
| iber Transmission Facilities:                  |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| No. of fiber strands entering C.O.             | 16                  | 120                 |                     |                     |
| No. of fiber strands working (LIT) in C.O.     | 4                   | 20                  |                     |                     |
| No. of fiber strands for interoffice use       | 4                   | 20                  |                     |                     |
| Miles of fiber sheath in wire center           | 1                   | 30                  |                     |                     |
| access Tandem Serving this C.O.:               | ı                   | 30                  |                     |                     |
| - C.O. Name                                    | RHINELANDER         | RHINELANDER         |                     |                     |
| - PSCW C.O. ID                                 | 4550-01             | 4550-01             |                     |                     |
| Does this C.O. do access tandem switching?     | No                  | No                  |                     |                     |
| Equal Access: InterLATA (1+)?                  | Yes                 | Yes                 |                     |                     |
| Equal Access: IntraLATA (1+)?                  | No                  | No                  |                     |                     |
| Footnotes                                      | INO                 | INU                 |                     |                     |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Teleco provided end-to-end facility.

#### GENERAL, SCHEDULE LEVEL AND SCHEDULE LINE FOOTNOTES

#### **General Footnote**

#### **Schedule Footnotes**

#### Identification and Ownership Footnote. Page 7

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#### **Schedule Line Footnotes**

- A) RECLASSIFICATIONS TO THE PROPER USOA PART 32 ACCOUNTS.
- B) REPROOFED WAREHOUSE, LANDSCAPING, RECARPET, REPAPER AND PAINT OFFICES.
- C) GENERIC UPGRADE FROM 406.22 TO 408.10. VOICE GRADE CIRCUIT EXPENSES.
- D) DECREASED OUTSIDE ENGINEERING SERVICE AND AFFILIATED ENGINEERING SERVICES.
- E) HEIGHTENED AWARNESS BY EMPLOYEES IN REPORTING TIME WORKED vs AN ALLOCATION PROCESS IN THE PAST.
- F) ACTUAL BILLINGS FOR INCREASED NUMBER OF CIRCUITS.
- G) 95 WAS AN ABNORMAL YEAR (MORE COLLECTIONS THAN WRITE-OFFS-COLLECTION OF PRIOR YEAR WRITE-OFFS).

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